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ANNUAL REPORT
of the Officers
of the
Town of Pepperell
MASSACHUSETTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
December 31, 1930



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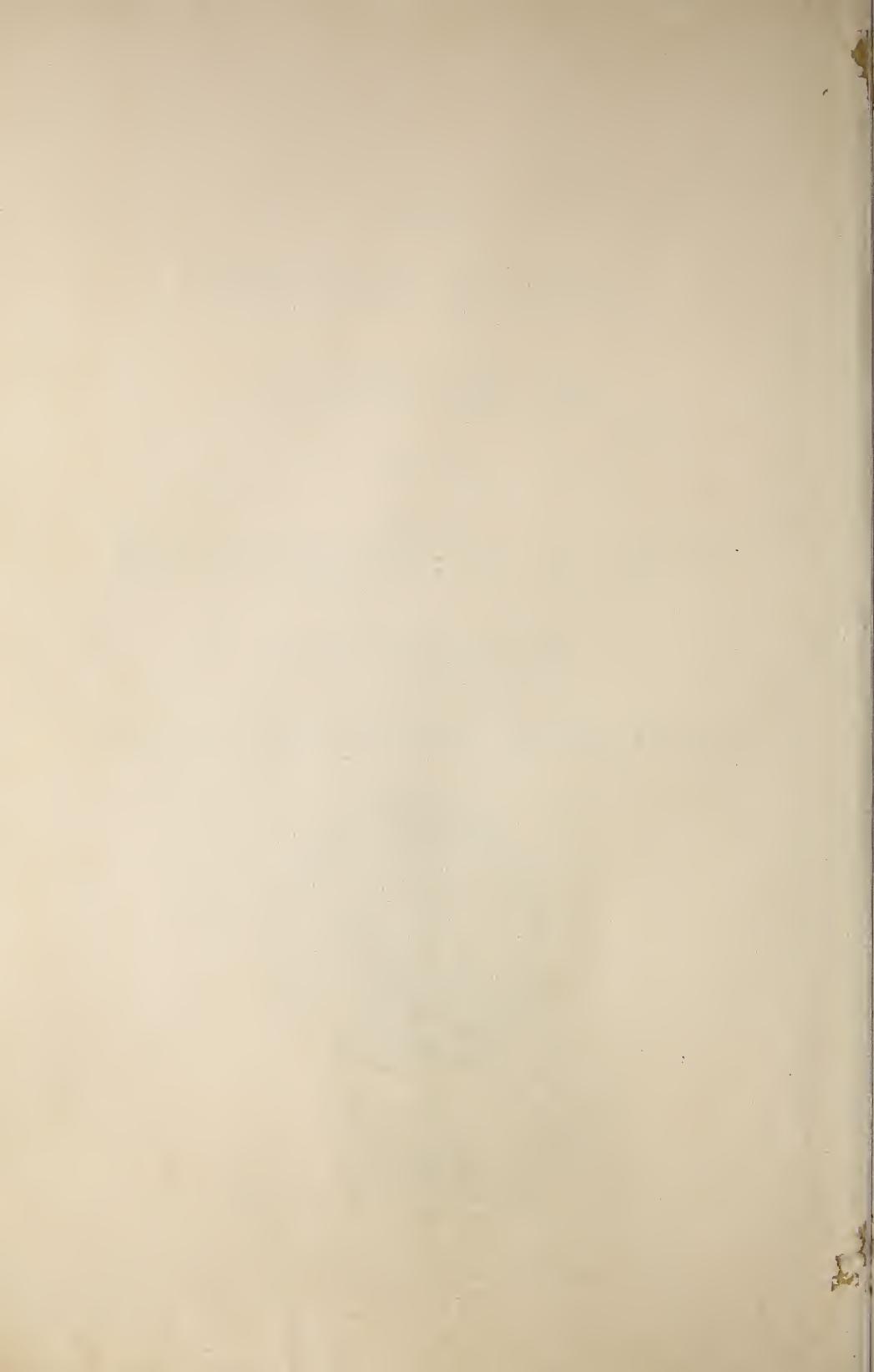
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Town of Pepperell
MASSACHUSETTS
FROM JAN. 1, 1930 TO DEC. 31, 1930



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64-66 E. PEARL ST.

NASHUA, N. H.



Town Officers 1930-1931 Elected

TOWN CLERK

WILFRED E. LEARY, Term Expires February 1931

TREASURER

ADDISON WOODWARD, Term Expires February 1931

SELECTMEN

CHARLES H. MILLER, Term Expires February 1931

WARREN C. FULLER, Term Expires February 1932

OTTO B. OLSON, Term Expires February 1933

ASSESSORS

EDGAR W. BLAKE, Term Expires February 1931

RUPERT L. BLOOD, Term Expires February 1932

M. H. SULLIVAN, Term Expires February 1933

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

LYMAN F. ROBBINS, Term Expires February 1931

JAMES E. ATTRIDGE, Term Expires February 1932

LEON P. RICHARDSON, Term Expires February 1933

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

CHARLES H. JEWETT, Term Expires February 1931

WILLIAM N. BLOOD, Term Expires February 1932

PATRICK J. HAYES, Term Expires February 1933

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS

ELBERT G. CHAPMAN, Term Expires February 1931

WILLIAM H. HILDRETH, Term Expires February 1932

ADDISON WOODWARD, Term Expires February 1933

TRUSTEES OF LAWRENCE LIBRARY

MRS. WARREN C. FULLER, Term Expires February 1931

CHARLES B. TAFT,	Term Expires February 1931
PATRICK J. HAYES,	Term Expires February 1932
GLADYS JOHNSON,	Term Expires February 1932
ARCHIBALD G. PIKE,	Term Expires February 1933
MRS. JAMES W. SMITH,	Term Expires February 1933

CONSTABLE

ARTHUR A. CHARBONNEAU, Term Expires February 1931

TREE WARDEN

JOHN F. TUNE, Term Expires February 1931

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

RAY M. NEWELL, Term Expires February 1931

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

WILLIAM E. CHAPMAN, Term Expires February 1931

WATER COMMISSIONERS

CHARLES H. MILLER,	Term Expires February 1931
OTTO B. OLSON,	Term Expires February 1932
WILLIAM H. GAFFNEY,	Term Expires February 1933

Appointed

Registrars

MICHAEL F. MORRISEY,	Term Expires February 1931
CHARLES E. BOYNTON,	Term Expires February 1932
CHARLES H. STRAITIFF,	Term Expires February 1933

Fence Viewers

RUPERT L. BLOOD,	MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN
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Culler of Staves

JOHN F. SARTELLE

Surveyors of Wood and Bark

JOHN F. SARTELLE

GRANT M. PALMER

Surveyors of Lumber

JOHN S. SARTELLE

FRANK S. FITCH

GRANT M. PALMER

Field Driver

WILLIAM H. HILDRETH

Public Weighers

LEON P. RICHARDSON

JAMES E. DUNN

GEORGE C. HOWE

GRACE P. SHATTUCK

GEORGE A. SHATTUCK

Weighers of Coal

ROBERT O. COY

LEROY A. SHATTUCK

Forest Warden

GRANT M. PALMER

Scaler of Weights and Measures

AMOS D. MAHONY

Police

ROBERT FARRELL, Chief

ROBERT S. ANDREWS

JOHN O'TOOLE

FOREST L. DUKE

Lock-up Keeper

ROBERT FARRELL

Inspector of Animals

DR. FRED A. DAVIS

Inspector of Slaughtering

DR. FRED A. DAVIS

Inspector of Milk

DR. FRED A. DAVIS

Janitor of Town House

GEORGE J. STONE

Engineers of Fire Department

GRANT M. PALMER FRANK P. TIERNEY

Superintendent of Moth Department

JOHN F. TUNE

Undertakers

ROLAN H. BLOOD AMES D. MAHONY

Burial Agent

JOSEPH A. SAUNDERS

*Play Ground Committee*EDWARD A. GAGNON ARTHUR W. BARTLETT
 JOHN F. TUNE

List of Jurors of the Town of Pepperell

Pepperell, Mass., July 1, 1930.

List of Jurors for the municipal year 1930 and 1931, prepared and posted by the Selectmen of Pepperell, in accordance with Chapter 234, Section 4, of the General Laws.

<i>Name</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Abele, Trescott T.	Farmer	Lawrence St.
Allen, Thomas I.	Carpenter	William St.
Annis, Jerry M.	Clerk	High St.
Attridge, Arthur R.	Paper Maker	Mill St.
Bannon, Arthur E.	Salesman	Main St.
Bennett, Fred D.	Auto Livery	Townsend St.
Blood, Ernest E.	Farmer	Mason St.
Blood, William N.	Salesman	Chestnut St.
Buck, Ralph W.	Storekeeper	Pleasant St.
Carter, Arthur L.	Clerk	Park St.
Chinn, Lester I.	Musician	River St.
Cleveland, Eugene	Laborer	Brookline St.
Coy, Robert O.	Freight Agent	Pleasant St.
Cullinan, John F.	Laborer	Mill St.
Dennen, Charles O.	Farmer	Hollis St.
Dennen, William F.	Farmer	Hollis St.
Donnelly, Eugene R.	Salesman	Main St.
Gagnon, Edward A.	N. R. Paper Co.	Main St.
Gardner, William	Carpenter	William St.
Gillis, George A.	Farmer	Mt. Lebanon St.
Gleason, Thomas H.	Laborer	Canal St.
Goodwin, Charles B.	Laborer	Chase Ave.
Greenwood, W. R.	Grocer	Townsend St.
Hackett, Walter H.	Laborer	Foster St.
Hayes, Harold I.	Clerk	High St.

Hinckley, Galen	Orchardist	Nashua St.
Olsen, Harold B.	Poultryman	Lawrence St.
O'Neal, Walter W.	Laborer	Main St.
Parker, Waldo F.	Shoe Repairer	Groton St.
Rouse, William J.	Laborer	River St.
Scanlon, William D.	Laborer	Groton St.
Shattuck, Jasper L.	Machinist	Groton St.
Straitiff, Charles H.	Farmer	River St.
Twitchell, Marlton E. N. R.	Paper Co.	Sheffield St.
Wilson, Henry E.	Farmer	Brookline St.

CHARLES H. MILLER,

WARREN C. FULLER,

OTTO B. OLSEN,

Selectmen of Pepperell.

Report of the Board of Selectmen

For the year ending December 31, 1930, the Selectmen submit, in conjunction with heads of the departments, whom they appoint, the following report:

Licenses issued during the year: 3 First Class Auto Dealers, 3 Garages, 7 Commercial Alcohol Permits, 9 Gas Tanks, 4 Victualers, 2 Innholders, 1 Slaughtering, 1 Junk Dealer.

Nothing new has developed in the Pine Orchard School situation and so the property still belongs to the town.

With the consent of the State Highway Department, the Town assumed the contract for improving Brookline Street and the Highway Surveyor, Mr. Chapman directed the work. He was able to extend the work several hundred feet further than the contract specified.

By keeping the cost of new road construction less than \$15,000 a town may contract to do the work, which means, since this Town possesses most of the necessary equipment that outside labor is not brought in and our own citizens benefit.

We suggest that this method of road construction be used, at least for the next year.

At present the Town has in its street lighting system, 226 lamps of 60 candle power each costing \$20 per year, 9 lamps of 250 candle power each at \$37.50 per year and 11 lamps of 600 candle power each at \$75.00 per year.

The total cost of our street lighting is therefore \$5,682.60.

Owing to the death of John F. Tune there is no report from the Tree Warden or Moth Superintendent.

BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT

As Board of Health we submit the following report:

2 cases of Measles, 2 cases of Mumps, 10 cases of Scarlet Fever and a case of Tuberculosis.

There have been more complaints this last year in regard to sanitary conditions in houses rented from the owners. We advise these owners to correct such conditions when Spring comes and thereafter, make a periodic inspection of their property.

The Board of Health has had for most of the year and apparently will have for all of next year, a case which is a direct charge on their appropriation. This necessitates our asking for an increase of \$400 in our 1931 appropriation.

We call attention to the Health Unit to be formed of the fifteen towns in this district and for which, a survey will soon be made.

CHARLES H. MILLER.

WARREN C. FULLER.

OTTO B. OLSON,

Selectmen.

Police Department Report

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1930.

DEPARTMENT EXPENDITURES

Robert T. Farrell, salary,	\$1,800.00
William D. Scanlon, wages	34.50
C. A. Burney, wages,	19.00
R. S. Andrews, wages,	53.50
Forest T. Duke, wages,	35.75
New England Tel. & Tel., telephone,	55.74
Middlesex County Electric Co., lights,	21.05
Robert T. Farrell, auto hire,	198.00
Arthur W. Bartlett, supplies,	13.25
John Boynton, supplies,	1.00
Westcott Publishing Co., books,	2.55
Ayer Plumbing & Heating Co..	2.40
Mrs. D. W. Lillis, food,	3.00
Water Department,	12.00
James E. Dunn, fuel,	16.00
George A. Shattuck, fuel,	59.20
 Total Expended,	 \$2,326.94
Unexpended,	173.06
 Appropriation,	 \$2,500.00

NUMBER OF ARRESTS 1930

Drunk,	2
Assault,	1

Safe Keeping,	30
Auto Law Violators,	3
Larceny,	6
Breaking and Entering,	1
Non Support,	1
Bastardy,	1
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Total,	45

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT T. FARRELL,

Chief of Police.

Report of the Engineers of Fire Dept.

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

The Engineers of the Fire Department submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1930.

During the past year the Department has responded to 58 alarms: 29 chimneys; 6 building; 3 automobiles; 15 Brush; 2 false; 1 out of town and 2 persons lost.

We have 2900 feet of hose on hand which is in good condition.

We recommend a change of batteries for the Fire Alarm which would be more reliable than the ones in use at present.

The apparatus which has been repainted is in good condition. Again we recommend the purchase of a new combination pumper, as the Department is handicapped in having only one pumper. There is too much of a strain on the present pumper and it is not expected to last forever. To much is being asked of the Department to continue along with what we have. There will be no reason to find fault if the Department has to go another year or two with the present equipment.

The Department has new gas masks and helmets which are an asset.

When the fire alarm is sounded the Department would appreciate it very much if the public would refrain from calling Central until the firemen have had the opportunity to use the telephone.

The following are the expenditures for the year:

Allen, William, driving truck,	\$ 10.00
Attridge Bros., supplies,	21.82

Bartlett, Arthur, supplies,	10.57
Blanchard, Arthur, supplies,	15.37
Blood, Willis, straps,	11.20
Boutwell, George, chains and greasing,	8.50
Boutwell, George, labor on truck,	8.70
Boutwell, George, driving truck,	10.00
Combination Hose Co., Glen Parker, Treas.,	500.00
Commissioner of Public Safety,	5.00
Deware, Fred, gas and oils,	33.66
Dow, Harry, driving truck,	10.00
Dow, Leonard, driving truck,	8.00
Dunn, James, coal,	84.17
Engine Co. No. 1, Martin Twitchell, Treas.,	500.00
Fitchburg Rubber Co., rubber coats,	30.42
Flagg, Emerson, driving truck,	3.00
Gray's Garage, repairs,	1.80
Hawley, Alfred, driving truck,	2.00
Hook & Ladder Co., John Rodier, Treas..	500.00
Holden, Richard, watching fire,	5.00
Johnson, Edward, zines and coppers,	58.79
Lakin, Henry, janitor,	75.00
Leary, Wilfred, driving truck,	16.00
Mercer Motor Co., tires for Reo,	188.00
Middlesex Electric Light, motor and lights,	61.56
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	30.34
Palmer, G. M., services as Engineer,	100.00
Parker, Lambert, watching fire;	5.00
Pepperell Garage, supplies and repairs,	9.50
Shattuck's Garage, repairs,	196.07
Shattuck, George, coal,	122.66
Sherwood, Walter, labor on alarm,	3.50
Stewart, George, paint,	20.80
Tierney, Frank, services as engineer,	100.00
Tierney, Frank, taking care of alarm,	84.45
Tierney, David, janitor,	148.00
Tierney, Thomas J., driving truck,	16.00
Townsend, W. S., gas and oils,	5.91

Water Department,	12.00
Weston, D. E., labor,	3.65
Appropriation,	\$3,000.00
Expenses,	3,056.44
Overdrawn,	56.44

G. M. PALMER,

FRANK P. TIERNEY,

Engineers.

Special Appropriations:

Painting Trucks,	\$150.00
Blanchard, Arthur, helmets and gas masks,	480.00
New hose,	350.00

List of Insurance

<i>Property</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>Premium</i>	<i>Expiration</i>
Town House	\$ 3,500	\$ 66.15	April 15, 1932
Town House	24,000	456.00	July 1, 1933
Town House	20,000	380.00	July 1, 1931
Town House	2,500	75.00	April 18, 1933
High School	2,000	27.80	April 15, 1932
High School	8,000	205.20	August 30, 1932
High School	10,000	140.00	February 20, 1933
High School	5,000	69.50	April 15, 1932
Clara M. Shattuck School	50,000	430.00	August 30, 1932
Clara M. Shattuck School	5,000	83.81	April 17, 1933
Clara M. Shattuck School	5,000	84.30	June 1, 1932
Groton Street School	28,000	240.80	August 30, 1932
Groton Street School	3,000	41.70	April 18, 1933
Engine House	17,000	263.50	August 30, 1933
Engine House	1,000	21.80	April 18, 1933
Engine House	2,000	43.60	October 24, 1933
Engine House	2,000	44.00	June 4, 1932
Tarbell Street School	5,000	125.00	February 1, 1933
Townsend Street School	1,500	37.35	December 20, 1931
Varnum Place	500	4.40	May 1, 1931
Varnum Place	3,000	86.20	September 15, 1932
Engine House Cottage St.	500	12.60	December 26, 1931
Tool House	600	16.32	October 7, 1934
Seals, Weights, Measures	1,500	42.00	March 13, 1931
Workmen's Compensation		460.87	April 2, 1931
Pine Orchard School	1,500	8.25	July 3, 1931

Report of Town Accountant

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of Pepperell:

Gentlemen :-

I respectfully submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1930 which is classified according to the books of the Division of accounts.

RECEIPTS
GENERAL REVENUE
TAXES

Current Year:

Poll,	\$ 1,398.00
Personal,	8,969.91
Real Estate,	37,615.12
Excise Tax,	4,176.33
	\$52,159.36

Previous Years:

Poll,	\$ 724.00
Personal,	8,662.44
Real Estate,	38,200.28
Excise,	1,510.28
	\$49,097.00

State:

Corporation, Bank, etc., \$28,584.11
\$28,584.11

Licenses:

Liquor,	2.00
Junk,	10.00
Bowling,	25.00

Hotel,	6.00
Auctioneer,	4.00
All other,	73.00

	\$120.00
Fines:	
Court,	\$154.32

	\$154.32
Grants and Gifts:	
State:	
Union Sup't.,	\$1,092.33
Highways,	19,096.13

	\$20,188.46
County:	
Dog Licenses,	\$ 631.28
Highways,	10,896.14

	\$11,527.42
Total for General Revenue,	\$161,830.67

COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Moth Assessment,	\$132.50

Town Hall,	\$177.00

Forestry:	\$177.00
Sale of Lead,	\$64.28

	\$64.28

Sealer of W. & M.:

Fees,	\$39.40

Health,	29.00

	\$29.00

Highways:

Sale of Materials,	\$67.60
Property Damage,	42.75
Private work,	10.00

	\$120.35

Charities:

Sale Land.	\$ 500.00
Individuals,	280.00
Towns,	1,724.12
State,	2,800.97
Mothers' Aid,	338.00
State Aid,	240.00
Soldiers Relief.	27.89

	\$5,910.98

Schools:

State Wards,	\$207.54
Other Tuition,	432.46

	\$640.00

Library:

Fines,	\$81.00
All other,	25.79

	\$106.79
Director Standards,	\$ 8.00
Varnum House,	62.80

Common,	.50

	\$71.30
Water Department:	
Meter Rates,	\$11,639.25

	\$11,639.25
Cemeteries:	
Annual Care,	\$196.00
	\$196.00
Temporary Loans,	\$60,000.00

	\$60,000.00
Interest:	
Deposits,	\$ 255.34
Taxes - Current Year,	93.58
Taxes - Previous Years,	2,902.84
Cemeteries,	546.25
Library,	\$2,444.75

	\$6,242.76
Refunds:	
Vocational Schools,	\$ 1.00
Insurance,	32.46

	\$33.46
Transfers:	
Water Bonds,	\$5,500.00
Library,	800.00
Hydrant Service,	1,000.00
Shirley E. Fund,	500.00

	\$7,800.00
Total for Commercial Revenue,	\$ 93,203.07
Total Receipts for the year,	255,033.74

PAYMENTS

General Government :

Moderator,	\$5.00
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\$5.00

Selectmen :

Salaries,	\$600.00
Printing,	38.31

\$638.31

Accountant :

Salary,	\$500.00
Stationery.	74.69

\$574.69

Treasurer,	\$500.00
Postage,	31.42
Bond	80.00

\$611.42

Collector :

Commission,	\$1,200.53
Tax Title Expense,	53.69
Stationery,	53.69
Bond,	150.00

\$1,431.32

Assessors :

Wages,	\$1,315.19
Auto Hire,	39.00
Printing,	231.03

\$1,585.22

Certification of notes,	\$10.00
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\$10.00

Town Clerk :

Salary,	\$350.00
Fees,	104.50
Printing, etc.,	23.86
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	\$478.36

Election and Registration :

Registrars,	\$200.00
Election Officers,	247.85
Stationery,	45.50
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	\$493.35

Total for General Government, \$5,827.67

Town Hall :

Janitor,	\$390.00
Fuel,	132.39
Light,	101.91
Telephone,	24.41
Repairs,	197.64
All other,	19.70
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	\$866.05

Police :

Chief,	\$1,800.00
Policemen,	142.75
Equipment,	7.70
Use of Car,	198.55
Fuel and Light,	96.11
Telephone,	55.74
All other,	25.95
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	\$2,326.80

Fire Department :

Engineers,	\$ 200.00
Firemen,	1,589.00
Janitor,	221.00
Care Alarm,	131.40

Apparatus,	691.50
Hose,	328.30
Helmets and Masks,	480.00
Fuel,	206.83
Light,	73.08
Repairs,	32.04
Telephone,	30.34
All other,	34.25
	—————
	\$4,017.74

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salary, 2 years,	\$150.00
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	\$150.00

Forestry:

Labor,	\$1,216.65
Auto,	55.68
Insecticides,	187.85
All other,	22.50
	—————
	\$1,482.68

Cutting Brush:

Wages,	\$494.85
Auto,	22.20
	—————
	\$517.05

Forest Fires:

Wardens,	\$70.00
Fighting Fires.	93.50
Apparatus,	9.50
	—————
	\$173.00

Health and Sanitation:

Board and Treatment,	\$177.00
Medical Aid,	61.50
Recording Births,	3.75
Recording Deaths,	5.00

School Nurse,	800.00
Inspection A. & S.,	480.00
All other,	4.50
	\$1,531.75
Hihways.	
Nashua Road,	
Labor,	\$ 16.50
Bal. Contract,	7,928.67
Land Damage,	75.00
	\$8,020.17
General Oiling:	
Salaries and Wages,	\$ 310.60
Trucks,	317.50
Oil, Sand, Gravel	5,356.11
All other,	13.02
	\$5,997.23
Street Signs:	
Signs,	\$869.50
Labor,	72.00
All other,	22.90
	\$964.40
Chapter 90:	
Wages,	\$3,545.50
Teams and Trucks,	3,192.75
Oil, Sand, Gravel,	6,562.52
Equipment,	402.40
Catch basins,	421.61
All other,	871.30
	\$14,996.08
Chapter 81:	
Wages,	\$5,065.45
Teams and Trucks,	6,011.75

Oil, Sand Gravel,	1,768.37
Equipment,	909.13
Catch Basins,	345.59
Culvert Pipe,	704.28
All other,	489.91

	\$15,294.48
Brookline Road:	
Wages:	\$2,896.25
Trucks,	3,396.00
Oil, Sand, Gravel,	1,256.06
Culvert Pipe,	665.16
Equipment,	456.95
All other,	319.47

	\$8,989.89
General Highways:	
Wages.	\$1,383.25
Teams and Trucks,	756.90
Gravel,	26.00
Equipment,	255.54
All other,	69.37

	\$2,491.06
Bridges:	
Wages,	\$232.00
Lumber,	81.96
All other,	486.06

	\$800.02
Sidewalks:	
Contract Groton St.,	\$511.95
Contract Main St.,	639.35
Wages,	321.05

	\$1,472.35

Snow Removal:

Wages,	\$188.75
Teams and Trucks,	698.80
Snow Fence,	192.00
All other,	118.40

	\$1,197.95
Street Lights,	\$5,251.80
Bridge Light,	55.89

	\$5,307.69
Total for Highways,	\$65,531.32

Public Welfare:

Salaries,	\$ 225.00
Stationery,	31.15
Groceries,	4,838.03
Coal and Wood,	893.44
Board and Care,	1,704.15
Medical Attendance,	881.68
Clothing,	876.33
Rent,	1,080.50
Laundry,	100.45
Cash allowed,	325.00
All other,	143.90
Mothers Aid.	6,159.16

	\$17,258.79
State Aid,	238.00

	\$238.00

Schools:

General,	\$ 150.00
Committee,	1,800.00
Superintendent,	250.00
Physician,	34.90
Truant Officer,	35.25
Stationery,	

Telephone,	37.94
Traveling Expenses,	154.61
School Census,	38.00
All other,	169.55
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	\$2,670.25
Teachers Salaries :	
High,	\$ 7,860.00
Elementary,	17,590.18
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	\$25,450.18
Text Books and Supplies :	
High,	\$ 513.72
Elementary,	1,496.13
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	\$2,009.85
Transportation.	\$5,023.00
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	\$5,023.00
Janitor Services :	
High,	\$ 658.34
Elementary,	1,083.06
	—————
	\$1,741.40
Fuel and Light :	
High,	\$ 435.03
Elementary,	1,398.78
	—————
	\$1,833.81
Maintenance of Buildings :	
High,	\$368.94
Elementary,	830.50
	—————
	\$1,199.44
Furniture and Furnishings :	
High,	\$97.85

Elementary,	44.50
Diplomas,	\$142.35
Vocational Schools,	\$28.16
	\$28.16
Total for Schools,	\$1,087.02
Library :	
Librarian,	\$780.00
Assistant,	85.00
Janitor,	720.00
Books,	280.91
Binding,	38.30
Periodicals,	63.40
Light,	74.36
Fuel,	664.65
Repairs,	12.38
Furniture,	50.00
Care of Grounds,	11.55
Insurance,	188.40
Stationery, Etc.,	30.60
Telephone,	3.37
All other,	172.48
Recreation and Unclassified :	\$3,175.40
Playground,	\$ 12.00
Common,	75.50
Rent, overpaid,	13.80
Varnum House W.,	120.00
M. Co. Extension,	200.00
Band Concerts,	300.00
Town Counsel,	22.00
Memorial Day,	149.75

Town Reports,	374.00
Insurance,	1,489.50
Town Forest,	27.70
By Laws,	51.00
Town Dump,	69.00
Contingent Fund,	76.75
War Memorial,	2,678.45
	\$5,659.45
Water Department :	
Commissioners,	\$ 120.00
Superintendent,	2,160.00
Stationerry,	67.60
Telephone,	47.52
Labor,	47.52
Pipe and Fittings,	560.12
Equipment,	836.22
Engineer,	1,320.00
Fuel, Light, Power,	1,274.39
Painting Standpipe,	750.00
All other,	118.56
	\$7,266.41
Cemeteries :	
Superintendent,	\$ 75.00
Labor,	1,155.00
Postage,	1.56
Fertilizer,	3.60
Equipment,	14.15
Water,	24.00
	\$1,273.31
Interest :	
Revenue Loans,	\$2,322.73
Water Loan,	1,410.00
	\$3,732.73

Municipal Indebtedness:

Anticipation of Revenue,	\$60,000.00
Water Bonds,	5,500.00
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	\$65,500.00

Agency, Trust and Investment:

Taxes,	
County,	\$5,824.55
State,	3,570.00
State Highway,	715.40
State Snow,	149.18
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	\$10,259.13

Refunds:

Taxes,	\$21.24
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	\$21.24

Transfers:

Water Department,	\$7,000.00
Library,	800.00
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	\$7,800.00

Total Payments for the year,	\$245,793.98
Cash Balance January 1, 1930:	

General,	\$10,944.23
Water,	2,476.64
Library,	61.67
Receipts for the year,	255,033.74
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	\$268,516.28

Cash Balance, January 1, 1931:

General,	\$15,545.01
Water,	6,939.48
Library,	237.81
Payments for the year,	245,793.98
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	\$268,516.28

APPROPRIATIONS, EXPENDITURES, BALANCES

Dept.	Appropriation	Expense	Balance
Revenue Loans,	\$60,000.00	\$60,000.00	\$
State Tax,	3,570.00	3,570.00	.
State Highway Tax,	715.40	715.40	
State Snow Tax.	149.18	149.18	
County Tax,	5,389.31	5,389.31	
County Hospital Tax,	435.24	435.24	
Town Charges,	7,000.00	6,095.89	904.11
Town Hall*,	700.00	866.05	
Police,	2,500.00	2,326.80	173.20
Fire, †	3,630.00	3,689.44	
Moth,	1,484.51	1,482.68	1.83
Brush, *	500.00	517.05	
Sealer of W. & M.,	150.00	150.00	
Forest Warden.	200.00	173.00	27.00
Hydrants,	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Hose,	350.00	328.30	21.70
School Nurse,	800.00	800.00	
Health, *	800.00	837.53	
Highways,	2,500.00	2,491.06	8.94
Bridges,	1,200.00	800.02	399.98
Street Lights,	5,720.00	5,307.69	412.31
Snow Removal, *	1,000.00	1,197.95	
Chapter 90 Roads,	15,000.00	14,996.08	3.92
Chapter 81 Roads,	15,300.00	15,294.48	5.52
General Oiling,	6,000.00	5,997.23	2.77
Traffic Signs,	1,000.00	964.40	35.60
Brookline Road,	9,000.00	8,989.89	10.11
Sidewalks,	1,500.00	1,472.35	27.65
Nashua Road,	8,020.17	8,020.17	
Public Welfare, †	9,750.00	11,099.63	.
Mothers Aid,	6,500.00	6,159.16	340.84
State Aid,	216.00	238.00	
Schools,	41,131.28	40,415.82	715.46
Library.	800.00	800.00	

Vocational Schools,	769.64	769.64	
Memorial Day,	150.00	149.75	.25
Contingent Fund,	500.00	495.33	4.67
Play Ground,	25.00	12.00	13.00
Legion Rent,	300.00		300.00
Common,	75.50	75.50	
Insurance,	1,800.00	1,489.50	310.50
Town Forest,	60.00	27.70	32.30
By Laws,	150.00	51.00	99.00
Town Counsel,	100.00	22.00	78.00
Band Concerts,	300.00	300.00	
Middlesex Co. Ex. S.,	200.00	200.00	
Soldiers Memorial,	2,678.45	2,678.45	
Town Dump,	100.00	69.00	31.00
Varnum House Wiring,	120.00	120.00	
Varnum House Rent Refund,	13.80	13.80	
Cemeteries,	5,00.00	500.00	
Water Bonds,	5,500.00	5,500.00	
Shirley E. Fund,	500.00	500.00	
Interest,	3,091.83	2,322.73	769.10
	\$230,945.31	\$228,066.20	\$4,728.76

* Overdrawn — charged to Contingent Fund

† Overdrawn — charged to Overlay Reserve Account.

BALANCE SHEET — JANUARY 1, 1931 ASSETS

Cash in Bank:

General,	\$15,545.01
Water Department,	6,938.48
Library,	237.81

\$22,721.30

Taxes:

Levy of 1929,	\$17,001.63
Levy of 1930,	<u>45,293.43</u>
	\$62,295.06

Special Assessments:

Moth 1929,	\$ 37.00
Excise 1929,	544.34
Moth 1930,	20.50
Excise 1930,	<u>1,806.11</u>
	\$2,407.95

Tax Titles,	\$471.37
	<u>\$471.37</u>

Accounts Receivable:

Public Welfare,	\$3,679.03
Mothers Aid.	<u>3,005.59</u>
	\$6,684.62

Water Rates,	\$24.00
	<u>\$24.00</u>

\$94,604.30

LIABILITIES

Overlay Reserved for Abatements:

Levy of 1929.	\$847.26
Levy of 1930,	<u>719.01</u>
	\$1,566.27

Departmental Revenue (to collect)	6,684.62
Water Revenue, (to collect)	24.00
Tax Title Revenue, (to collect)	471.37
Excise Tax Revenue, (to collect)	2,243.10

Special Assessment Revenue, (to collect)	57.50
Overlay Reserve,	4,849.38
Shirley Electric Fund,	554.78
Excess and Deficiency, (surplus)	55,958.05
Revenue Loans,	15,000.00
Library,	237.81
Water Department,	6,938.48
Cemeteries,	18.94

	\$94,604.30

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN T. SULLIVAN,

Town Accountant.

Report of the Assessors

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1930

Pepperell, December 31, 1930

Value of Personal Property, April 1,	\$552,230.00
Value of Real Estate, April 1,	2,505,295.00
Value of Buildings Assessed, April 1,	1,841,920.00
Value of Land Assessed, April 1,	663,375.00
Tax on Personal Estate, April 1,	16,566.90
Tax on Real Estate, April 1,	75,158.85
Tax on Property December Assessment,	9.00
Tax on 951 Polls,	1,902.00
Total Tax committed to the Collector,	93,769.25
Tax Rate per \$1,000,	30.00
Amount of Property exempt from Taxation under Clauses 17, 18, 23 chapter 59 Gen. Laws,	19,040.00
Number of Women listed in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 51 General Laws,	995
Number Persons Assessed Poll Tax Only,	560
Number of Residents Assessed on Property,	685
Number of Non-Residents Assessed on Property,	180
Number of Firms, Corporations, etc.,	30
Number of Houses Assessed,	767
Number of Cows Assessed,	574
Number of Neat Cattle,	118
Number of Swine Assessed,	21
Number of Fowls Assessed,	16,058
Sheep Assessed,	9
Horses Assessed,	173
Autos Assessed,	1,002
State Tax,	3,570.00
State Highway Tax.	715.40
Acres of Land.	14,394

County Tax,	5,389.31
County Special Tax,	435.24
State Tax Snow Removal,	149.18
Moth Department Tax,	132.50
Town Appropriations,	124,504.15

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL H. SULLIVAN,

RUPERT C. BLOOD,

EDGAR W. BLAKE,

Assessors of Pepperell.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash on hand, January 1, 1930,	\$9,848.40
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RECEIPTS

State Treasurer:

Director of Standards,	\$ 24.00
Tuition for Children,	207.54
Income Tax,	13,205.30
Income Tax, Educatoral,	3,450.25
Contagious Diseases,	29.00
National Bank Tax,	1,005.07
School Supt. Small Lone Act.,	1,092.33
Trust Co., Tax,	52.44
Soldiers Exemption,	27.89
Temporary Aid,	2,582.57
Vocational Education,	432.46
State Aid,	240.00
Mothers Aid,	338.00
Support of Indigent Persons,	218.40
Division of Highways,	19,096.13
Corp. Tax Business,	10,467.54
Corp. Tax Public Service,	403.51
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	\$52,872.43

County Treasurer:

Dog Tax,	\$ 631.28
Division of Highways,	10,896.14
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	\$11,527.42
Borrowed money,	\$60,000.00
Public Welfare,	2,004.12
Rent Town House,	177.00

Interest on Deposit,	255.34
Sale Arsenic of Lead,	64.28
Perpetual Care Cemeteries,	546.25
Annual Care Cemeteries,	196.00

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS

Licenses,	\$104.00
Property Damage,	42.75
Club held for debt,	10.00
Rebate,	1.00
Part Payment Town Farm,	500.00
Refund, Workmen's Insurance,	32.46
Rent Varnum Place,	48.00
One payment,	13.00
Sale Wood, Varnum Place,	1.00
Court Fines,	154.32
Sale of Pipe, Highway Dept.	21.60
Sale of Tar, Highway Dept.,	46.00
Re-embursement on Common,	.50
Sealer Weights and Measures,	39.40
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	\$1,014.83

TAXES

Arthur P. Wright, Coll., 1927 Interest,	\$ 51.50
" " " " 1928 Taxes,	11,619.42
" " " " 1928 Interest,	1,372.24
" " " " 1929 Taxes,	35,987.80
" " " " 1929 Intent,	1,522.91
" " " " 1929 Excise Tax,	1,510.28
Ray M. Merrill Co., 1930 Poll Taxes,	1,398.00
" " " " Moth Tax,	112.00
" " " " Taxes,	46,585.03
" " " " Excise Tax,	4,176.33

" " "	Interest,	49.77
		\$104,385.28
		\$242,891.35
Total receipts for year 1930,		\$242,891.35
Total orders drawn by Selectmen,		227,368.34
		\$15,523.01
Balance on hand, January 1, 1931.		
Total receipts, Water Department,		\$21,115.89
Total payments, Water Department,		18,171.20
		\$2,944.69
Balance on hand, January 1, 1931.		
Check protested.		5.21
		\$2,939.48
Leaving Balance, January 1, 1931.		
Total receipts Lawrence Library,		\$3,413.21
Total payments,		3,175.40
		\$237.81

FINANCIAL REPORT

LIABILITIES

Borrowed money,	\$15,000.00
Shirley Electric Light Co.,	554.78
	\$15,554.78

ASSETS

Cash on hand,	\$15,523.01
1929 Taxes,	17,045.55
1929 Excise Tax,	589.50
1930 Taxes,	46,420.43

1930 Excise Tax,	1,798.76
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	\$1,377.25

Respectfully submitted,

ADDISON WOODWARD, *Treasurer.*

Report of Treasurer of the Lawrence Public Library

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, January 1, 1930,	\$61.67
Coupons from Bonds:	
New York Central,	\$245.00
New England Tel. & Tel..	100.00
Holyoke St. R. R.,	60.00
Northern Pacific,	300.00
Lake Superior,	100.00
Wisconsin Power & Light,	250.00
Boston Elevated,	150.00
Ohio Public Service,	50.00
Aristicook & Bangor,	150.00
New England Power,	150.00
Chicago & Indianapolis,	80.00
Detroit Terminal,	180.00
Baltimore & Ohio,	100.00
American Tel. & Tel. 5s,	10.00
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	\$1,925.00
Dividend on Stocks:	
Shawmut Bank,	\$99.75
Gardner Electric Light,	100.00
Rockwood & Co..	160.00
Merrimack Hat Corp..	160.00
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	\$519.75
Town Appropriation,	\$800.00
P. R. Stratton, use of land,	10.00
Fines at Library,	81.00

Sale of Books,	10.50
Sale of old paper,	3.85
Rebate on Insurance,	1.44

	\$906.79

	\$3,413.21

PAYMENTS

Helen M. Wiley, Librarian,	\$780.00
E. G. Chapman, Janitor,	720.00

	\$1,500.00
Fuel,	
James E. Dunn,	\$583.85
George A. Shattuck,	80.80

	\$664.65
Insurance:	
A. G. Pike,	\$239.68
Ingalls Kittredge,	94.20

	\$333.88
Lights:	
Middlesex County Electric Co..	\$74.36
Repairs:	
D. E. Weston,	\$12.38
Book Binding:	
Dura Binding Co.,	\$38.30
Subscriptions:	
New England News Co.,	58.00
F. W. Faxon,	63.40
H. W. Wilson,	15.05

	\$136.45

Books:

Book Shop for boys and girls,	\$ 1.45
Howard McCann Inc.,	2.10
H. R. Hunting Co.,	10.16
A. R. Worworth,	29.28
Gaylord Bros.,	5.20
The McMillan Co.,	4.99
E. P. Dutton Co.,	4.81
Harlem Book Co.,	7.90
University of Chicago Press,	2.40
C. A. Cook & Co.,	146.47

	\$214.76

Printing Supplies:

Gaylord Bros.,	\$5.40
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Sundry Expenses:

I. H. Wilie Machine Co.,	\$ 1.67
First National Bank, Pepperell,	5.00
Helen M. Wiley,	20.00
Remington Rand Business Service,	50.00
Ruth Sheedy,	85.00
Pepperell Water Dept.,	12.00
George A. Shattuck,	6.75
A. A. Charbonneau,	2.25
A. W. Bartlett,	2.55
Coommitee of Public Safety,	10.00

	\$195.22

Balance on hand, January 1, 1931,	237.81

	\$3,413.21

SECURITIES OWNED BY LAWRENCE LIBRARY

10 Northern Pacific R. R. Bonds.	\$1,000.00
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7	New York Central & Hudson River Bonds,	1,000.00
5	Wisconsin Power & Light, Bonds,	1,000.00
4	Detroit Terminal, Bonds,	1,000.00
3	New England Power Co., Bonds,	1,000.00
3	Boston Elevated, Bonds,	1,000.00
3	Aristicook & Bangor, Bonds,	1,000.00
2	Chicago & Indianapolis, Bonds,	1,000.00
2	Baltimore & Ohio Bonds,	1,000.00
2	New England Tel. & Tel., Bonds,	1,000.00
2	Lake Superior, Bonds,	1,000.00
1	Holyoke St. R. R., Bonds,	1,000.00
1	Ohio Public Service, Bonds,	1,000.00
2	Am. Tel. & Tel. 5s, Bonds,	100.00
20	Shares Gardner Elec. Pref. Stock.	
40	Shares Merrimack Hat Pref. Stock.	
20	Shares Rockwood & Co. Pref. Stock.	
37	Shares Shawmut National Bank Stock.	
	First National Bank Pepperell Book 584,	251.86
	City Institution for Savings Lowell Book 130999,	78.54

Respectfully submitted,

ADDISON WOODWARD, *Treasurer.*

Cemetery Trust Fund Account

	Interest	Withdrawn	Cash in Bank
Cash on hand, January 1, 1929,	\$13,308.69		
Charles Lakin, Fund,	100.00		
John J. Gillispie, Fund,	50.00		
Interest to July 1, 1930			
Lucinda S. Wright, Fund,	8.70	13.50	343.58
Rebecca Green, Fund,	1.33	2.25	52.14
R. A. Maxfield, Fund,	4.48	6.75	177.44
Abbie Stevens, Fund,	2.75	4.50	108.89
Dr. W. F. Monroe, Fund,	3.00	4.50	119.04
Sarah F. Farrar, Fund,	5.38	9.00	211.67
Levi Wallace, Fund,	5.78	9.00	228.53
Herbert S. Lawrence, Fund,	2.78	4.50	109.99
W. Spaulding, Fund,	3.08	4.50	122.05
John H. Kendall, Fund.	4.80	6.75	191.00
Elias Chapman, Fund,	2.68	4.50	105.57
Rev. Edw. P. Smith, Fund,	2.90	4.50	115.19
Rebecca Williams, Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.58
Abby Holmes, Fund,	2.68	4.50	106.09
J. E. B. Jewett, Fund,	2.85	4.50	112.82
Richard Pierce, Fund,	2.90	4.50	115.29
W. Jewett & M. L. Boynton, Fund,	2.83	4.50	111.56
Mary F. Baker, Fund,	2.93	4.50	115.63
W. H. Winship Fund,	2.70	4.50	106.96
Mary H. Wilson, Fund,	2.63	4.50	104.12
Timothy R. Shattuck Fund,	3.00	4.50	118.75
Lucy B. Page Fund,	3.00	4.50	119.43
Sumner Carter Fund,	2.60	4.50	102.35
James Boutwell Fund,	3.03	4.50	119.90
Sarah N. Claussen Fund.	2.83	4.50	112.05
Hannah E. Shattuck Fund,	4.33	6.75	171.42
Belcher & Miner Fund,	5.85	9.00	230.87

	Interest	Withdrawn	Cash in Bank
James A. Elliott Fund,	2.70	4.50	106.30
Parker & Williams Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.94
Martha Spaulding Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.95
Albert Leighton Fund,	12.98	22.50	509.98
Mary E. Putney Fund,	2.68	4.50	105.90
Mrs. Henry Adams Fund,	2.65	4.50	104.88
Dr. Charles Babidge Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.48
Bradley Varnum Fund,	2.90	4.50	114.76
Lewis H. Bean Fund,	2.88	4.50	114.05
Warren S. Wood Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.66
John B. Jewett Fund,	2.90	4.50	114.83
Hadley Sleeper Fund,	2.73	4.50	107.64
James Lewis Fund,	2.83	4.50	111.62
William Bascom Fund,	2.95	4.50	116.76
George S. Wright Fund,	2.70	4.50	106.51
Sarah E. Lamb Fund,	2.78	4.50	109.79
Lemanuel Lakin Fund,	2.85	4.50	113.18
Frank H. Behrens Fund,	2.85	4.50	112.37
Henry V. Hovey Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.40
Wm. P. Taylor Fund,	2.65	4.50	104.89
Elijah Reed Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.58
Dow & Blood Fund,	4.30	6.75	170.23
Charles Winn Fund,	1.30	2.25	51.39
I. N. Elliott Fund,	2.90	4.50	114.97
Simon & Jonas Shattuck Fund,	2.70	4.50	106.63
W. W. Gillispie Fund,	2.68	4.50	105.24
Catherine Pierce Fund,	2.60	4.50	102.29
John S. Marshall Fund,	2.90	4.50	115.26
John H. Blood Fund,	2.88	4.50	113.95
Joshua Spaulding Fund,	2.75	4.50	120.69
E. A. Haywood Fund,	2.70	4.50	118.56
Elizabeth M. Letender Fund,	2.48	4.50	108.17
Avanda N. Blood Fund,	2.32	4.50	101.75
E. R. Richardson Fund,	3.85	6.75	169.05
Jonathan Bancroft Fund,	2.79	4.50	123.23
A. S. Woodward Fund,	4.84	9.00	211.50

	Interest	Withdrawn	Cash in Bank
Benjamin Swift Fund,	2.36	4.50	102.88
E. Alonzo Blood Fund,	2.52	4.50	110.86
Sarah & Samuel B. Miller Fund,	2.50	4.50	109.91
Phineus Woods Fund,	2.52	4.50	110.15
Thomas Hill Fund,	2.57	4.50	112.96
Charles & Leonard Elliott Fund,	2.66	4.50	116.18
Eli Boynton Fund.	2.45	4.50	107.24
Alfred Boynton Fund.	2.45	4.50	107.93
James Blake Fund,	2.52	4.50	110.52
Frank A. Wright Fund,	2.54	4.50	111.29
George Emery Fund,	1.28	2.25	56.87
Lincoln A. Johnson Fund,	1.28	2.25	56.87
Sumner Parker Fund,	2.50	4.50	109.85
Rufus W. Palmer Fund,	2.41	4.50	105.01
Sarah A. Dudley Fund,	2.48	4.50	108.35
James A. Pierce Fund.	2.43	4.50	106.01
Joseph Tucker Fund,	2.48	4.50	108.28
Lemuel Parker Fund.	2.50	4.50	109.21
Dr. Charles E. Parker Fund,	2.50	4.50	109.21
Nathan Blood Fund.	2.52	4.50	110.69
Arnold Hutchinson Fund,	4.73	9.00	206.42
Charles Lakin Fund,	2.68	4.00	200.94
Benjamin Whidden Fund,	2.45	4.50	107.58
Ethelinda P. Harper Fund,	1.22	2.25	53.11
W. A. Harrod Fund,	2.25	3.00	100.03
Fannie V. Shattuck Fund,	7.34	13.50	320.69
Charles H. Jewett Fund,	3.62	6.75	158.50
Edward M. Comery Fund,	2.41	4.50	105.26
Abija Whitney Fund.	2.41	4.50	104.97
C. F. McCormack Fund,	2.36	4.50	103.25
Hattie I. Kendall Fund,	2.34	4.50	101.94
Frank N. Goff Fund,	1.17	2.25	51.46
Moses Whitehouse Fund,	1.17	2.25	51.21
Catherine H. Titus Fund,	2.32	4.50	101.17
Arabella G. Hamblett Fund,	2.45	4.50	107.87
James and Francina Butterfield Fund,	2.39	4.50	104.05

Nathan Lakin Fund,	2.32	4.50	101.65
Mary Streeter Fund,	2.32	4.50	101.09
Lizzie A. Sartelle Fund,	2.32	4.50	101.08
Jennie L. Gilbert Fund,	2.30	4.50	100.15
Miles Lawrence Fund,	2.30	4.50	100.61
Henry C. Winn Fund.	2.27	3.00	100.95
Milo Henderson Fund,	2.30	4.50	100.23
Martha E. Blood Fund,	2.36	4.50	103.09
Eli & Levi Boynton Fund,	2.27	3.00	100.57
Henry D. Shattuck Fund,	2.25	2.50	100.40
Whiles & Page Fund,	3.38	2.50	151.55
Thomas McGrath Fund,	2.25	2.00	100.50
Wm. A. Chapman Fund,	2.25	2.00	100.63
John J. Gillispie Fund,			50.00

	\$14,331.76	\$546.25	\$13,785.51
Town of Pepperell.			546.25

			\$14,331.76

Respectfully submitted,

ADDISON WOODWARD.

Town Treasurer.

Woodlawn Cemetery Fund

Cash on hand, January 1, 1930,	\$714.92
Sale of Lots,	95.00
Interest on same to January 1, 1931,	31.49
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	\$841.41
Paid for labor, supplies and etc.,	\$120.00
Amount of Fund, January 1, 1931,	\$721.41

Edmond P. Farrar Fund

Cash in Bank, January 1, 1930,	\$263.09
Interest on same to January 1, 1931,	11.97
Amount of Fund, January 1, 1931,	\$275.06

Respectfully submitted,

ADDISON WOODWARD,

Treasurer.

WATER DEPARTMENT

January 1, 1930 — January 1, 1931

RECEIPTS

Cash in bank, January 1, 1930,	\$ 2,476.64
Sales of water,	11,596.90
Sales of Maintenance, Labor,	2.00
Sales of Maintenance, Material,	4.93
Rebate Standard Oil Co., of N. Y.,	2.50
Refund, overdrawn salary 1929 (Bemis)	24.92
Sundry Account,	8.00
From Town Bond Account,	5,500.00
From Shirley Electric Light Fund,	500.00
From Town Hydrant Service,	1,000.00
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	\$21,115.89

EXPENDITURES

Standard Oil Co., of N. Y.,	\$ 825.20
Harris Forbes Co., Bonds and Interest,	6,910.00
Middlesex Electric Light Co., Power,	329.19
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.,	53.54
Johnson-Barker Co., Pipe and Fittings,	53.11
D. E. Weston, Material,	4.09
L. D. Bemis, Salary,	2,160.00
H. L. Nutting, Salary,	1,320.00
A. W. Bartlett, Merchandise,	36.27
Frank Hatch, Labor,	12.00
Rollins Engine Co., Machine Work,	58.90
East Pepperell Post Office, Envelopes,	28.88
A. A. Charbonneau, Forge Work,	10.20

L. D. Bemis, Cash paid for freight & express,	32.70
Gamon Meter Co., Repairs on Meters,	31.07
Neptune Meter Co., Meter Repairs,	362.83
National Meter Co., New Meters,	58.35
Central Foundry Co., Gate Boxes,	71.50
James E. Dunn, Coal at P. S.,	120.00
Red Hed Mfg. Co., Goose Necks and Stop and Wastes,	244.77
Eagle Oil & Supply Co., Engine room supplies,	45.98
Walworth Mfg. Co., Gate Valves,	60.59
Builders Iron Foundry - Hydrant repairs,	34.50
Garlock Packing Co., Packing,	58.62
Eddy Valve Co., Hydrant,	57.21
Fairbanks - Morse Co., labor and spare parts,	24.17
Check, Insufficient Funds,	5.21
Shrewsbury Tank Co., Painting Standpipes,	750.00
Chapman Valve Co., Hydrant repairs,	27.10
Clayton Slocomb, Land,	25.00
W. E. Leary, Recording Deed,	2.02
Edison Packing & Sales Co., Material,	3.43
First National Bank of Pepperell, Collector,	20.00
The Allpax Co. of Boston, Packing,	10.01
Badger Meter Co., New Meters,	68.04
Hersey Meter Co., Repairs.	54.86
Pittsburgh Equitable Meter Co., Repairs,	11.22
W. S. Dailey Co., Instruments repaired and painted,	26.57
Edson Mfg. Co., Suction Hose,	28.88
Harry R. Prescott, Merchandise,	14.40
A. W. Moody, Labor,	1.00
C. H. Miller, Water Commissioner,	40.00
Wm. Gaffney, Water Commissioner,	40.00
O. B. Olsen, Water Commissioner,	40.00
First Nat'l Bank of Pepperell, Savings Dept.	2,000.00
North Middlesex Savings Bank Ayer,	2,000.00

\$18,176.41

EXPENDITURES DIVIDED TO DIFFERENT
PARTS OF SYSTEM

Service, New Construction,	\$ 82.99
Service, Maintenance, Material,	342.49
First Nat'l Bank of Pepperell, Collector,	20.00
Supt. Salary,	2,160.00
Pumping Station, Maintenance Labor,	17.60
Pumping Station, New Construction,	11.24
Pumping Station, Material,	141.70
Pumping Station, Expense, Fuel Oil, Coal and Telephone,	969.10
H. L. Nutting, Salary,	1,320.00
Piping System, New Construction,	46.69
Piping System, Maintenance,	256.03
Meters, New,	116.04
Meters, Maintenance,	486.92
Water Commissioners,	120.00
Standpipes, Maintenance,	750.00
Pumping Station No. 2, Power,	329.19
Land Purchased.	32.02
Sundry Account,	59.19
Bonds,	5,500.00
Interest on Bonds,	1,410.00
Insufficient Funds Checks,	5.21
First Nat'l Bank of Pepperell, Savings Dept.,	2,000.00
North Middlesex Savings Bank Ayer,	2,000.00

	\$18,176.41

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts, January 1, 1930 — January 1, 1931,	\$21,115.89
Expenditures, January 1, 1930 — January 1, 1931,	18,176.41
Cash in Bank, subject to check account,	2,939.48

Cash in First Nat'l Bank of Pepperell Savings Dept.,	2,000.00
Cash in North Middlesex Savings Bank, Ayer,	2,000.00
Cash on hand, January 1, 1931,	\$6,939.48
Due outstanding bills,	24.00
	\$6,963.48

OUTSTANDING BONDS

\$28,000 due 4,000 each year to 1937
 2,000 due 1,000 each year to 1932
 2,500 due 500 each year to 1935

\$32,500 due on Bonds

Services Metered and in Use

Total number of services, January 1, 1931,	703
Total number of services in use,	649
Total number of services metered,	593
Meters repaired in 1930,	141
Main Gates repaired,	3
Service Gate repaired,	24
Stop and Wastes, renewed,	41
Hydrants repaired,	23
Hydrants renewed,	1
Total number gallons of water pumped,	
January 1, 1930—January 1, 1931	98,495.772 gallons

METERS

Water conservers, money savers, waste preventers, revenue earners, — they are all this and more. Meters have more to do with the success of a water plant than almost any other part of the equipment and are as valuable to the water seller as reliable scales are to the merchant.

If your water bills seem high don't blame the water meter or your department officials. Stop the leaks.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS D. BEMIS,

Supt. of Water Dept.

Approved:

CHARLES H. MILLER,

OTTO B. OLSEN,

Wm. H. GAFFNEY,

Water Commissioners.

Report of Middlesex County Extension Service

The following is a report of the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service as developed in the town of Pepperell for the year 1930.

The farmers of Pepperell this year, especially the poultrymen, have taken a very active part in the program of the Extension Service. A series of monthly winter meetings for the poultrymen was organized and has been well attended. A poultry cutting demonstration was also given. A meeting of interest to dairymen on the production of quality milk was also held. A forestry tour in the northern part of the county was taken to the farm of Charles Jewett. 33 farm visits were made upon request to assist with individual farm problems. East Pepperell had a group of 15 homemakers who carried both the vegetable preparation project and one on improving home grounds. This group passed on information to 90 homemakers who were unable to attend the meetings. Mrs. Lawrence Price and Mrs. Charles Davis are the leaders of this group.

In Boys' and Girls' 4-H club work 35 were enrolled in the clothing, garden, poultry and rabbit clubs. Miss Florence Flynn, Ruth Glow, Miss Eileen Flaherty served as local leaders. Richard Woodward was awarded a medal by the Massachusetts Horticultural Society for outstanding garden work. At the sectional 4-H club rally held at Townsend the Pepperell clothing club won a special ribbon for best attendance.

Eight educational motion picture shows were given to a total attendance of 1967.

A campaign to eradicate rats from farm and home buildings was carried on on a county-wide basis and a great many of the poison baits were distributed in Pepperell.

Respectfully submitted,

PREScott T. ABELE.

Cemetery Commissioners Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1930

Costs of maintenance of Walton and Woodlawn Cemeteries:

Superintendent,	\$ 75.00
Labor,	1,155.00
Tools and Repairs,	12.35
Fertilizer and Seed,	5.40
Water Tax,	24.00
Postage and Bill Heads,	1.56
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	\$1,273.31
Received, Endowed Lots,	546.25
Received, Annual Care,	196.00
Appropriation,	550.00
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	\$1,292.25
Unexpended balance,	\$18.94

Several endowed lots have been reseeded and had headstones have been reset upon Cement foundations.

Improvements on Avenues at Woodlawn have been paid for from the Woodlawn fund.

Respectfully submitted.

ELBERT G. CHAPMAN,

Supt. of Cemeteries.

Report of the Pepperell Town Forest Committee

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 1, 1931

At the annual town meeting it was voted to raise and appropriate the sum of Sixty Dollars to be used on the forest.

Although there was need of this appropriation, only \$24.00 (twenty four dollars) were expended. Circumstances were such that we could not work the amount out.

Much thinning of trees and pruning should be done! Most of the land has been covered with white pine sets, and are growing well.

About One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) should be expended in trimming and thinning for a few years, so that the remaining trees can have a chance to grow properly.

We would ask all of the people to refrain from dumping refuse on this property.

Your Committee feels that in a few years the town will have a forest to be proud of.

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. JEWETT,

P. J. HAYES,

L. P. RICHARDSON,

Forest Committee.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Pepperell, Mass., January 13, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Town of Pepperell, Mass.

Herewith find my report for collection of 1930 Taxes to January 1, 1931.

EXCISE

Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise April 22, 1930	\$4,620.40
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise May 9, 1930,	499.89
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise June 4, 1930,	556.12
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise July 29, 1930,	448.29
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise September 3, 1930,	172.13
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise October 17, 1930,	163.60
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise December 4, 1930,	102.83
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise December 18, 1930,	45.25
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Excise January 2, 1931,	29.05
Total amount of Excise committed to me for 1930,	\$6,637.56
Total amount of Excise col. to Jan. 1, 1930,	\$4,176.33
Total amount of Excise abatements issued,	662.47
Balance to collect,	\$1,798.76

Paid to Addison Woodward Treasurer:

Cash,	\$4,176.33
Interest,	4.79
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	\$4,181.12

POLL, PERSONAL AND REAL ESTATE TAX

Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930

Poll Tax May 13.	\$1,108.00
Assessors Warrant for collection of 1930 Poll Tax,	780.00
1930 General Tax, August 19.	\$93,746.25
Personal Estate Tax.	12,132.18
Real Estate Tax,	80,701.57
Moth Tax.	132.50
Assessors Warrant for collection of	
1930 December Assessment, Dec. 17,	\$23.00
Poll Tax,	14.00
Real Estate,	9.00

Total Assessment, \$94,877.25

Collected to Jan. 1, 1931, Poll Tax,	\$1,398.00
Collected to Jan. 1, 1931, Pers. Est. Tax,	8,969.91
Collected to Jan. 1, 1931, Real Est. Tax,	37,615.12
Collected to Jan. 1, 1931, Moth Tax,	112.00

Total amount collected, \$48,095.03
Abatements issued, 361.79

Balance to collect. \$46,420.43

Paid to Addison Woodward Treasurer :

Cash,	\$48,095.03
Interest,	44.98
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	\$48,140.01

Respectfully submitted,

RAY M. NEWELL,
Tax Collector.

Pepperell, Mass., January 7, 1931

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Pepperell, Mass.

I respectfully submit my report as Tax Collector for the year ending January 31, 1930.

Balance to collect 1928,	\$12,142.85
Added Assessment,	24.80

	\$12,167.65
Collected,	\$11,818.14
Abated,	349.51

	\$12,167.65
Paid to Addison Woodward, Treasurer:	
Cash and Abatement,	\$12,167.65
Interest,	1,401.71

	\$13,569.36
1929	
Balance to collect,	\$53,026.43
Added assessment,	6.92

	\$53,033.35
Collected,	\$35,987.80

	\$35,987.80
Balance to collect,	\$17,045.55
Paid to Addison Woodward, Treasurer:	
Cash,	\$35,987.80
Interest,	1,522.91

	\$37,510.71
Excise Tax:	
Balance to collect,	\$2,381.43
Collected,	1,510.28

Abated,	281.65
	\$1,791.93
Balance to collect,	589.50
Paid to Addison Woodward, Treasurer:	
Cash and Abatement,	\$1,791.93
I have collected on 1927 interest to the amount of	\$51.50
and paid same to the Treasurer.	

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR P. WRIGHT,

Tax Collector 1915 to 1930

Report of the Board of Public Welfare

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1930

It is necessary by law to determine if possible the legal settlement of every person aided.

A legal settlement is acquired by each person who, after reaching the age of twenty-one has resided in any town within the commonwealth for five consecutive years, shall thereby acquire a settlement in such town:

A settlement is lost by five years absence (see chapter 116 of the General Laws).

A Settled Case is persons having a legal settlement in a city or town.

An Unsettled or State Case is persons having no legal settlement in any city or town, such cases are under the supervision of the State of Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare.

TEMPORARY AID — REIMBURSEMENTS FROM STATE, CITIES AND TOWNS

Persons aided elsewhere, and settled here, this town is liable for such expense. Persons aided here, and settled elsewhere, this town is reimbursed by Town of Settlement. Persons aided here, with no settlement (unsettled or state cases) this town is reimbursed by the State.

MOTHERS' AID REIMBURSEMENTS FROM STATE, CITIES and TOWNS

Persons aided and settled here, this town is reimbursed one third of such expense by the State.

Persons aided elsewhere and settled here, this town is liable for two thirds of the expense, the state reimbursing the place of residence one third of such expense.

Persons aided here and settled elsewhere, this town is reimbursed two-thirds of such expense by the Town of Settlement and one-third by the State.

Persons aided here having no legal settlement in the Commonwealth (unsettled cases) this town is reimbursed the full amount by the Massachusetts Department of Public Welfare.

All Mothers Aid Cases are under the supervision of the State Department of Public Welfare, Division of Mothers Aid.

CASE STATISTICS

New Cases Investigated

Applicants residing in Pepperell,	72
Notices from other Towns,	7
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	79

Disposition of Cases

Transferred to Mothers Aid,	1
Mothers Aid Applications Granted,	3
Temporary Aid Granted,	28
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Applications and Settlements Not Granted

Mothers' Aid,	2
Temporary Aid,	38
Notices from other Towns,	7
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	47

DIVISION OF MOTHERS' AID

Settled and Aided in Pepperell

	Cases	Adults	Children
Active, January 1, 1930	4	4	14
New Cases,	2	2	6

Settled in Pepperell — Aided Elsewhere

Active, January 1, 1930,	2	2	5
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Unsettled (State Case)

New,	1	1	4
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	9	9	29

Mothers' Aid Cases Closed

	Cases	Adults	Children
Settled in Pepperell aided elsewhere,	1	1	2
Settled and aided in Pepperell,	2	2	5
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	3	3	7

Mothers' Aid Cases Active December 31, 1930

	Cases	Adults	Children
Settled and Aided in Pepperell,	4	4	15
Settled in Pepperell, Aided Elsewhere,	1	1	3
Aided in Pepperell, Unsettled (State)	1	1	4
	—	—	—
Totals,	6	6	22

Division of Temporary Aid

Settled and Aided in Pepperell

	Cases	Adults	Children
Active, January 1, 1930,	9	13	12
New Cases,	16	15	21

Settled in Pepperell Aided Elsewhere

New Cases,	4	4	
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Aided in Pepperell Settled Elsewhere

January 1, 1930,	1	1	5
New Cases,	4	8	12

Aided in Pepperell Unsettled (State)

January 1, 1930,	2	2	9
New Cases,	4	8	14
	—	—	—
Totals,	40	51	73

Temporary Aid Cases Closed

	Cases	Adults	Children
Settled and Aided in Pepperell,	10	11	15
Settled in Pepperell Aided Elsewhere,	1	1	
Aided in Pepperell Settled Elsewhere,	2	4	8
Aided in Pepperell, Unsettled (State)	3	4	11
	—	—	—
Totals,	16	20	34

Temporary Aid Cases Active, December 31, 1930

	Cases	Adults	Children
Settled and Aided in Pepperell,	15	17	18
Settled in Pepperell Aided Elsewhere,	3	3	
Aided in Pepperell Settled Elsewhere,	3	5	9
Aided in Pepperell, Unsettled (State)	3	6	12
	—	—	—
Totals,	24	31	39

DIVISION OF MOTHERS' AID

*Financial Statement**Expenditures*

Persons Settled and Aided Here:

Cash,	\$4,629.00
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Medical Aid and Nursing:

H. E. Thompson, M. D.,	12.00
Mrs. Grace Moody,	15.00
Azalia Bolia,	45.00

	\$72.00
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Dentistry:

Nelson S. Wood, D. D. S.,	30.00
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Funerals:

Amos Mahoney,	18.00
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	\$4,749.00
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Expense of Persons settled here, aided
in Boston:

Cash,	378.16
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Expense of persons aided here,
unsettled (State):

Cash,	1,032.00
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Total Mothers' Aid Expense,	\$6,159.16
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MOTHERS' AID OUTSTANDING ACCOUNT

STATE

January 1, Outstanding,	\$ 696.64
Charges to December 31, 1930,	2,646.95

Total,	\$3,343.59
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Payments to Treasurer,	338.00
Outstanding. December 31. Due from State,	\$3,005.59
Appropriation for Mothers' Aid,	\$6,500.00
Expense of persons settled and aided here, \$4,749.00	
Exp. of persons settled here, aided in Boston, 378.16	
Exp. of persons aided here, unsettled (state) 1,032.00	
	\$6,159.16
Unexpended Balance,	\$340.84
Town Mothers' Aid Net Expense,	\$3,544.16

DIVISION OF TEMPORARY AID

Financial Statement

STATE ACCOUNT

Persons aided here — Unsettled cases

Expenditures

Groceries and Provisions:

Attridge Bros..	\$100.00
John H. Boynton,	687.78
Peter LePage,	104.00
	\$891.78

Milk:

J. A. Ewing & Son,	\$ 5.07
G. J. Connolly,	23.79
Joseph Connolly,	12.09

Howard Kimball,	205.92
	246.87
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Rent:	
E. E. Tarbell, Est.,	165.00
Elna Smith,	36.00
Fred Archambault,	25.00
Albert Duda,	90.00
	\$316.00
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Fuel:	
Jerry A. Lorden,	150.00
George A. Shattuck,	41.00
E. S. Grenache,	12.50
Nashoba Oil Co.,	28.02
	\$231.52
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Medical Attendance:	
Dr. C. G. Heald,	3.00
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Medicines:	
Dupaws Pharmacy,	.60
Clothing and Dry Goods:	
C. A. Cook & Co.,	\$158.16
Lane Bros.,	57.60
	\$215.76
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Hospitals:	
St. Joseph Hospital,	10.85
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Wet Wash:	
Fossa's Laundry.	96.50
	\$2,012.88

State Outstanding Account

Outstanding, January 1, 1930, \$3,645.11

Charges,	2,012.88
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	\$5,657.99

Receipts

Payments to Treasurer,	\$2,800.97
Disallowance,	15.80
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	\$2,816.77

State Outstanding, December 31, 1930,	\$2,841.22
Other Towns Account — Persons Aided here, settled elsewhere	

Hopedale Account

Expenditures

Groceries and Provisions:

John H. Boynton,	209.48
Attridge Bros.,	481.98
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	\$691.46

Rent:

E. E. Tarbell, Est..	195.00
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Fuel:

George A. Shattuck,	92.83
Jerry Lorden,	26.00
James E. Dunn,	7.75
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	\$126.58

Milk:

J. A. Ewing & Son,	\$129.77
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Clothing and Dry Goods:

C. A. Cook & Co.,	\$133.55
Lane Bros.,	234.59
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	\$368.14

Drugs and Disinfectants :		
Dupaws Pharmacy,	17.48	
Arthur W. Bartlett,	6.00	

		\$23.48
Medical Attendance and Nursing :		
Dr. C. G. Heald,	\$23.00	
Dr. F. W. Lovejoy,	50.00	
Dr. H. W. Ayres,	3.00	
Dr. T. F. Rock,	29.00	
Vera Hodgdon.	50.00	

		\$155.00
Hospitals :		
St. Joseph Hospital,	\$72.30	
Dentistry :		
Nelson S. Wood, D. D. S.,	15.00	
Shoe Repairs :		
A. J. Walker,	12.35	
Wet Wash :		
Fossa's Laundry,	3.95	
Plumbing :		
F. B. Ross,	6.25	
Transportation :		
Fred D. Bennett,	11.00	

Total Hopedale Expense,	\$1,810.28	
Hopedale Outstanding Account :		
<i>Expense</i>		
Outstanding, January 1, 1930,	\$ 154.44	
Charges,	1,810.28	

		\$1,964.72
<i>Receipts</i>		
Payments to Town Treasurer,	1,425.66	

Outstanding, December 31, 1930. \$539.06

WALTHAM

Expenditures

Supplies:

Attridge Bros., \$13.00

Waltham Outstanding Account:

Expense

Charges 1930, 13.00

Receipts

Payments to Town Treasurer, 13.00

LOWELL

Expenditures

Supplies:

Peter Lepage, \$16.00

Rent:

M. H. Sullivan, 10.00

Fuel:

E. S. Grenache, 6.25

\$32.25

Lowell Outstanding Account:

Charges 1930, \$32.25

ATHOL

Expenditures

Supplies:

Attridge Bros.,	\$71.66
Medical Attendance:	
C. G. Heald, M. D.,	34.00

\$105.66

Athol Outstanding Account:

Expense

Charges 1930,	\$105.66
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Receipts

Payments to Town Treasurer,	\$105.66
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TYNGSBORO

Expenditures

Supplies:

John H. Boynton,	\$329.80
Outstanding Account:	
Charges 1930,	\$329.80
Payments to Town Treasurer,	179.80
Outstanding, December 31, 1930,	\$150.00

TOWN ACCOUNT

Persons Aided and Settled Here

Expenditures

Groceries and Provisions:

Attridge Bros.,	\$ 819.42
Mrs. W. F. Gorman,	164.53
Leroy Shattuck,	1,149.63
William J. Chase,	230.00
Peter Lepage.	64.00
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	\$2,427.58

Milk:

Howard A. Kimball,	\$ 3.90
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Fuel:

James E. Dunn,	\$ 32.00
E. S. Grenache,	50.00
Jerry A. Lorden,	269.50
George A. Shattuck.	153.80
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	\$505.30

Water:

Pepperell Water Dept.,	6.00
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Rent:

Fred H. Parker,	\$183.00
Mrs. A. A. Shattuck,	49.50
M. H. Sullivan,	45.00
E. E. Tarbell, Est..	66.00
Mrs. Sarah Hammond,	75.00
Mary C. J. Jagiellovicz,	117.00
Cash.	24.00
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	\$559.50

Medical Attendance and Nursing:

C. G. Heald, M. D.,	\$ 57.00
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James S. Black, M. D.,	150.00
F. W. Lovejoy, M. D.,	469.50
Mrs. Harold T. Lynch,	5.00
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	\$681.50
Dentistry :	
Nelson S. Wood, D. D. S.,	\$15.00
Medicines and Drugs :	
Geo. H. Dupaw,	6.35
Clothing and Dry Goods :	
C. A. Cook & Co.,	\$174.27
Lane Bros.,	78.62
Mrs. W. M. Mault,	19.00
The Monroe Stores Inc.,	.59
Est. H. F. Tarbell,	7.60
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	\$280.08
Hospitals :	
St. Joseph Hospital,	50.00
Cash,	\$222.00
Board and Care :	
Mrs. Charles Blake,	\$ 77.00
Frank F. Timberlake,	49.00
Mrs. Timothy Lorden,	14.00
Mrs. Fred Wheeler,	70.00
Lida Elkins,	154.00
Elizabeth Williams,	96.00
Mrs. M. Drown,	16.00
Harry O'Neal,	119.00
Ruth Boutwell,	63.00
Sarah Hammond,	102.00
Georgiana Cloutier,	36.00
Rose Desrosier,	154.00
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	\$950.00
Bedding :	
A. J. Saunders & Son,	\$9.50

Plumbing:

L. Homer Bemis,	5.15
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Transportation:

Fred D. Bennett,	14.00
Jerry A. Lorden,	8.00

22.00

Burials:

Amos D. Mahoney,	78.00
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\$5,821.86

Persons Settled Here Aided Elsewhere

Expenditures

Massachusetts Dept. Public Welfare,	\$499.00
Town of Dunstable,	215.00

	\$714.00
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Total,	\$6,535.86
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GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Printing and Office Supplies:

Hobbs & Warren,	\$14.65
Squanicook Printing Co.,	16.50
Dupaws Pharmacy,	3.75

	\$34.90
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Salaries:

Lyman F. Robbins, Clerk,	125.00
Leon P. Richardson,	50.00

James E. Attridge,	50.00
Total,	\$225.00
	\$259.90

DIVISION OF TEMPORARY AID

Outstanding Account

Expense

Outstanding, January 1, 1930:

State Account,	\$3,645.11
Hopedale Account,	154.44
Individuals Account,	91.50
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	\$3,891.05

Charges 1930:

State Account,	\$2,012.88
Hopedale Account,	1,810.28
Waltham Account,	13.00
Tyngsboro Account,	329.80
Athol Account,	105.66
Lowell Account,	32.25
Individuals Account,	305.00
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	\$4,608.87
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	\$8,499.92

Receipts 1930:

State Account,	\$2,800.97
Hopedale Account,	1,425.66
Tyngsboro Account,	179.80
Athol Amount,	105.66

Waltham Account,	13.00
Individuals Account,	280.00
Disallowances,	15.80
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	\$4,820.89
Temporary Aid Outstanding, December 31, 1930.	\$3,679.03

GENERAL SUMMARY

Appropriation,	\$9,750.00
Transferred from Overlay Reserve,	1,349.63
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	\$11,099.63

Expense

State Account,	\$2,012.88
Other Towns,	2,290.99
Town,	6,535.86
Administration,	259.90
	—————
	\$11,099.63

(\$1,521.29 of above was for unpaid bills of 1929)

Town Temporary Aid Net Expense,	\$6,795.76
Appropriation,	\$ 9,750.00
Expense,	11,099.63
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Overdrawn,	\$1,349.63
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The Town Infirmary was sold by the Board of Selectmen to Irving E. Wilkins for \$1,200.00

Respectfully submitted,

LYMAN F. ROBBINS,
JAMES E. ATTRIDGE,
LEON P. RICHARDSON,
Board of Public Welfare.

Report of the Highway Surveyor

EQUIPMENT STOCK ON HAND

1	Buffalo Springfield Roller	1	Iron Roller
1	Holt Best Thirty Tractor	5	Road Drags
1	Conant Gravel Loader	6	Sidewalks Plows
1	Adams Grader	1	Tractor Snow Plow
1	Wheel Harrow	1	Self Propelling Nozzle
1	Cement Mixer	1	Tar Spray Nozzle Hose
2	Tar Heaters	6	Long Handle Shovels
2	Guide Patrol Scrapers	7	Short Handle Shovels
1	Water Curt	20	Snow Shovels
8	Picks	8	Iron Rakes
4	Mattocks	3	Wood Rakes
10	Forks	2	Basin Scoops
1	Basin Ladle	2	Scythes and Snaths
2	Brush Snips	4	Iron Bars
3	Axes	2	Grease Guns

Various Small Tools:

5,200 Feet Snow Fence Posts
 240 Feet Arno Culvert Pipe
 100 Feet Vitimus Clay Pipe
 50 Feet Concrete Pipe
 850 Gallons Tar Cold Patch
 1,000 Gallons Light Tar
 600 Gallons 45% Road Oil
 24 Cement Posts

NEW CONSTRUCTION BROOKLINE ROAD

State \$3,000	County \$3,000.00	Town \$3,000.00
Laura Blood,		105.00
Proctor Bros.,		80.00

George A. Shattuck.	140.00
F. A. Stockley,	348.25
Railway Express Co.,	22.15
Conant Machine & Steel Co.,	91.71
Attridge Bros.,	16.64
Pepperell Garage,	134.46
P. W. Flynn,	6.00
Edward Glow,	7.39
Arthur W. Bartlett,	17.29
Arthur A. Charbonneau.	22.67
William J. Chase,	22.38
Tar Products Corporation.	579.84
Trimount Oil Co.,	218.40
Department Correction.	129.96
Sansfords Express,	7.34
Edwin E. Iten,	26.63
Dyar Sales Machine Co.,	203.80
Andrew Trites,	57.30
Bertha T. Boynton,	215.52
New England Concrete Pipe Corp.,	244.91
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	\$2,697.64
W. E. Chapman.	\$ 363.75
Trucks.	1,500.00
F. Ford. truck.	487.50
Glen Parker.	570.00
W. A. Fuller. truck,	450.00
Howard Trites.	409.00
Andrew Trites. team.	12.00
Harry Dow.	285.75
John K. O'Neill,	133.50
Thomas Cunniff,	205.00
Louis Nutting.	193.50
Andrew Blood,	16.00
Leo Connley.	16.00
Harry Warren,	158.00
George Cummings,	12.00

Patrick Halley,	157.00
Jerry Sullivan,	114.50
William Davis,	198.50
James Trites,	165.50
James Winch,	68.50
Declan Lynch,	180.00
J. J. Sullivan,	199.00
Clyde Parker,	140.25
Charles Williams,	34.00
Henry Williams,	1.50
Andrew Trites, Jr.,	107.50
Rodman Blake,	67.50
Arthur Glow,	36.00
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	\$6,292.25
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	\$8,989.89

Chapter 90

State \$5,000.00	County \$5,000.00	Town \$5,000.00
New England Metal Culvert Co.,		\$ 99.58
Department Correction,		170.36
Tar Products Corporation,		6,312.62
Dyars Sales Machine Co.,		601.75
George A. Shattuck,		39.05
W. J. Chase,		3.06
Attridge Bros.,		10.98
F. A. Stookley,		246.65
Gray's Garage,		11.90
Osgood Construction Co.,		16.20
Edward Glow,		4.55
Edwin E. Iten,		192.12
Hotel Place Garage,		32.00
Pepperell Trap Rock,		65.25
Laura Blood,		160.65
Andrew Trites,		75.50

George L. Sheldon.	4.43
Fred Deware.	14.46
Charles W. Lorden.	32.00
Proctor Bros..	143.75
Arthur W. Bartlett,	64.88
New England Concrete Pipe Corp.,	31.59

	\$8,333.33
W. E. Chapman.	462.75
Trucks,	1,853.75
Glen Parker, truck,	629.75
F. Ford, truck,	558.00
Warren Fuller, truck,	138.00
Silas Nokes, team,	4.00
F. O. Parker, team,	16.00
Harland Blood, team,	48.00
Harry Dow,	287.50
J. K. O'Neill.	260.50
Patrick Halley,	171.50
Harold Lynch,	238.50
James Winch,	237.75
Harry Warren,	247.50
Thomas Cunniff,	204.50
Jerry Sullivan,	164.00
Henry Wilson,	31.50
James Trites,	8.00
William Davis,	8.00
Louis Nutting,	211.00
Declan Lynch,	151.00
J. J. Sullivan,	107.50
William Dunham,	20.00
Everett Smith,	7.00
Howard Trites,	7.00
Arthur Greenwood,	16.00
Waldo Parker,	1.00
Joseph Duprie,	14.00
Ernest Nicols,	4.00

C. O. Dennen,	134.00
Bernard Scott,	99.75
Faun Carkin,	16.00
George Cummings,	106.00
W. L. Pierce,	26.00
Fred A. Parker,	12.00
Ernest Stocker,	12.00
Andrew Trites, Jr.,	8.00
George Brew,	10.50
Glode Davis,	9.50
Basil Deware,	8.00
George Whalan,	8.00
Lambert Parker,	4.00
John Tune,	12.50
Michael McGrath,	75.50
Patrick Cody,	12.00
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	\$6,662.75
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	\$14,996.08

Chapter 81

Town \$8,500.00 State \$6,800.00

Edwin E. Iten,	\$374.29
Pepperell Garage,	107.10
D. E. Weston,	13.75
Proctor Bros.,	48.00
Tar Products Corporation,	763.24
C. A. Swasey,	9.25
Middlesex County Electric Co.,	7.10
Arthur H. Blanchard Co.,	15.74
W. R. Greenwood,	25.07
Fred Deware,	61.01
C. A. Parker,	56.25
T. H. Kennedy,	28.00

Boston Maine R. R.,	2.60
Edward Glow,	2.50
F. A. Stockley,	115.50
Laura Blood,	76.65
Andrew Trites,	162.45
George A. Shattuck,	106.25
New England Concrete Pipe Co.,	575.34
Hotel Place Garage,	12.50
Conant Machine & Steel Co.,	26.25
W. M. Troohig,	310.80
New England Metal Culvert,	105.84
G. Willard Smith,	42.10
Water Department,	12.00
Charles H. Austin,	75.00
McKennie & Chain Co.,	11.00
Dyar Sales Machine Co.,	436.28
Railway Express Co.,	1.84
Buffalo Springfield Roller Co.,	9.25
Arthur W. Bartlett,	64.73
Arthur A. Charbonneau,	20.10
William J. Chase,	14.18
Attridge Bros.,	13.20
Leon P. Richardson,	86.73
Osgood Construction Co.,	7.35
C. M. Smith,	12.61
Trimount Oil Co.,	400.33
W. S. Townsend,	5.10
	\$4,217.28
W. E. Chapman,	470.25
Trucks,	2,788.50
Traector,	247.50
Glen Parker, truck,	1,023.00
F. Ford, truck,	952.50
Howard Trites, truck,	391.00
Warren Fuller, truck,	913.25
Andrew Blood, tractor,	91.25

Harry Dow,	512.85
Thomas Cunniff,	342.50
J. K. O'Neill,	217.75
James Winch,	351.00
Patrick Halley,	243.50
Jerry Sullivan,	235.25
Roger Lawrence,	18.25
W. L. Pierce,	33.50
C. O. Dennen,	80.10
Joseph Bergeron,	4.00
William Davis,	170.00
James Trites,	130.50
Harry Warren,	358.00
Andrew Blood,	22.50
Bernard Scott,	4.00
J. J. Sullivan,	270.75
Declan Lynch,	276.75
William Davis,	4.00
Joseph Duprie,	6.00
Michael McGrath,	23.50
George Brew,	8.00
Glode Davis,	4.00
Henry Wilson,	16.75
John Jezeth,	12.00
Louis Nutting,	200.50
Leo Connley,	8.00
George Cummings,	119.00
Clyde Parker,	77.00
Charles Williams,	4.00
Andrew Trites, Jr.,	4.00
Hugo Bougettie,	64.00
Arthur Glow,	20.50
John Tune,	28.50
Harold Copp,	24.00
Harold Lynch,	109.00
Walter West,	40.00
Howard Hazen,	40.50

A. H. Landry,	56.00
T. P. Landry,	24.00
James Nilan,	36.00
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	\$11,077.20
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	\$15,294.48

GENERAL HIGHWAY

William Mason,	\$ 73.40
Railway Express,	.55
Middlesex Electric Co.,	2.25
Attridge Bros.,	6.60
Arthur W. Bartlett,	39.35
Arthur A. Charbonneau,	58.25
Dyar Sales Machine Co.,	153.15
Proctor Bros.,	26.00
Edwin E. Iten,	13.23
Bertha Boynton,	40.00
Boston & Maine R. R.,	7.71
Devenie & Mason,	.40
William J. Chase,	.77
Pepperell Trap Rock,	11.25
P. W. Flynn,	4.75
C. A. Swasey,	3.75
Fred Deware,	14.40
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	\$455.81
W. E. Chapman,	157.00
Trucks,	448.50
Tractor,	5.00
Glen Parker, truck,	100.50
Howard Trites, truck,	12.00
Warren Fuller, truck,	72.00
F. Ford, truck,	36.00
Victor Geiger, team,	130.00

T. O. Parker, team,	117.00
Harry Dow,	80.45
Patrick Halley,	105.50
Jerry Sullivan,	118.00
Harry Warren,	42.00
Andrew Blood,	15.50
J. K. O'Neill,	85.50
James Winch,	78.00
Declan Lynch,	48.50
J. J. Sullivan,	35.00
Louis Nutting,	36.00
Clyde Parker,	18.00
C. O. Dennen,	9.80
Fred A. Parker,	4.00
Henry Wilson,	2.00
Tony Victorio,	20.00
Bert Blood,	8.00
Charles Williams,	8.00
Thomas Cunniff,	30.00
Rodman Blake,	12.00
George Whalan,	12.00
William Dunham,	61.50
Ernest Stocker,	8.00
Michael McGrath,	44.00
Harold Lynch,	34.50
George Cummings,	10.00
John Gazeth,	15.00
W. L. Pierce,	4.00
Richard Drumm,	8.00
Bernard Scott,	4.00
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	\$2,035.25
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	\$2,491.06

GENERAL TAR

Tar Products Corporation,	\$5,356.08
W. H. Twohig,	13.05
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	\$5,369.13
W. E. Chapman,	33.00
Trucks,	138.00
Glen Parker, truck,	60.00
F. Ford, truck,	60.00
Warren Fuller, truck,	60.00
T. O. Parker, team,	1.50
Harry Dow,	39.60
Thomas Cunniff,	20.00
J. K. O'Neill,	16.00
Harry Warren,	23.00
Harold Lynch,	18.00
Declan Lynch,	16.00
J. J. Sullivan,	20.00
George Cummings,	13.50
George Whalon,	4.00
William Dunham,	16.00
Ernest Stocker,	12.00
Everett Smith,	1.50
Andrew Trites, Jr.,	1.50
James Winch,	14.00
Patrick Halley,	14.00
Jerry Sullivan,	14.00
Louis Nutting,	10.00
George Brew,	8.00
Fred A. Parker,	12.00
Joseph Murphy,	2.50
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	\$628.10
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	\$5,997.23

BRIDGES

Pepperell Trap Rock,	\$ 22.50
C. A. Parker,	143.10
Tar Products Corporation,	96.96
W. E. Pierce,	46.75
Edwin E. Iten,	10.57
Edward Glow,	.75
Dyar Sales Machine Co.,	2.33
Proctor Bros.,	81.96
C. M. Smith,	8.75
George A. Shattuck,	75.00
New England Metal Culvert Co.,	30.30
Arthur C. Harvey Co.,	10.30
Sanford Express,	1.00
Arthur A. Charbonneau,	37.75

	\$568.02
W. E. Chapman,	33.00
Trucks,	24.00
Harry Dow,	12.00
Bernard Scott,	8.00
Harold Lynch,	8.00
David Tierney,	50.00
John Tune,	9.00
Henry Wilson,	34.00
Andrew Blood,	34.00
Louis Nutting,	16.00
C. O. Dennen,	4.00

	\$232.00

	\$800.02

SIGNS

L. Scott Roe, \$869.50

C. M. Smith,	7.00
J. B. Foster,	6.00
George A. Shattuck,	8.40
Boston & Maine R. R.,	7.50

	\$898.40
W. E. Chapman,	\$ 9.00
Trucks,	27.00
Harry Dow,	12.00
Harry Warren,	4.00
James Winch,	2.00
Declan Lynch,	4.00
George Whalon,	4.00
Harold Lynch,	2.00
George Cummings,	2.00

	\$66.00

	\$964.40

SNOW

Silas Nokes,	\$ 42.25
George A. Shattuck,	34.53
Victor Geiger,	64.50
Harland Blood,	14.50
W. R. Greenwood,	7.72
Middlesex Electric Co.,	1.50
Boston & Maine R. R.,	50.19
Hotel Place Garage,	9.84
Dyar Sales Machine Co.,	192.00
State of Mass.,	4.37

	\$421.40
W. E. Chapman,	77.25
Trucks,	260.25
Tractor,	62.50

F. O. Parker, team,	46.00
Victor Geiger, team,	75.75
Silas Nokes, team,	32.00
Harland Blood, team,	38.00
Harry Dow,	90.80
Henry Wilson,	36.50
James Winch,	17.50
Richard Drumm,	21.50
C. O. Dennen,	4.00
Harry Warren,	4.00
Edward Durant,	10.50
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	\$776.55
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	\$1,197.95

SIDEWALKS

Edwin E. Iten,	\$1,151.30
W. E. Chapman,	\$11.25
Trucks,	69.00
Harry Dow,	22.80
Jerry Sullivan,	68.50
Patrick Halley,	54.50
Louis Nutting,	8.00
J. K. O'Neill,	64.50
James Winch,	18.50
George Cummings,	4.00
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	\$321.05
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	\$1,472.35

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. CHAPMAN,

Highway Surveyor.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

In submitting to the citizens of Pepperell my annual report, I would ask all those interested to examine the following records carefully, and if any errors or omissions are noted that they be at once reported in writing to the Town Clerk so that the records may be perfected.

Any error in the record, other than a mistake in copying a certificate or return, can be corrected only in accordance with a deposition, under oath, made by one who was required by law to furnish the information for the original record, or by three or more credible persons having a knowledge of the case. (See Revised Laws, Chapter 29. Sections 9 and 16.)

MARRIAGES RECORDED 1930

- Jan. 18 John Joseph Hutchins and Ruth Ann Beard, both of Pepperell.
- Mar. 13 Clyde Dewey Clifford and Violet Evelyn Morrill, both of Northfield, N. H.
- Mar. 18 Joseph Lewis Caron of Lowell, Mass., and Phyllis Irene Piper of Pepperell.
- April 2 John Martin and Eva J. Wallace Dewart both of Pepperell.
- April 8 Fred Tracy Salisbury of Mount Vernon, N. H., and Olive Adell Duffy of Bar Harbor, Me.
- April 19 Warren Gibson Hallet of Groton, Mass., and Phyllis A. Soule of Pepperell.
- April 19 James Henry Ferguson and Irene Mary Hawley both of Pepperell.
- April 26 Emile Wilfred Curtis of Pepperell and Alice Surette of Leominster, Mass.
- May 4 Stanley Lewandoski of Pepperell and Wanda Urbano-wicz, Norwich Conn.

May 19 James L. Sliney of Pepperell and Mary Esther Cleary of Groton, Mass.

June 7 Garnet Rafuse of Townsend, Mass. and Alma Veronica Marshall, Pepperell.

June 16 Ashton Elmer Gourley of Melrose, Mass. and Helen Armina Parker of Pepperell.

July 3 Freeman K. Wright and Marion Gertrude Gray both of Pepperell.

July 20 Edward J. Marcotte of Bedford, Mass. and Mary Anna Malley of Pepperell.

Aug. 2 Francis J. Hatfield of Pepperell and Dorothy M. Birchall of Nashua, N. H.

Aug. 9 Alfred P. Dejarlais and Millie C. Sweet Cardin both of Nashua, N. H.

Aug. 10 Eugene Clarence Morrill and Ruth May Greeley both of Pepperell.

Aug. 16 Edward William Mayou and Lestina Ida Parker both of Pepperell.

Sept. 4 Edwin Henry Walker of Pepperell and Edna Mae Davis of Hingham, Mass.

Sept. 6 Ross Wood of Cambridge, Mass. and Katherine Hobart of Pepperell.

Sept. 7 Arnold E. Blake and Amanda B. Jensen, both of Pepperell.

Oct. 2 William J. Greenwood and Eva Baillargeon both of Pepperell.

Oct. 3 Ernest Charles Blood and Ruth E. Carter Hardy both of Pepperell.

Oct. 15 Charles Otis Dennen and Ellen Theresa Colbert both of Pepperell.

Oct. 18 Raymond A. Lewis and Sadie Weir Allison both of Pepperell.

Nov. 23 Richard Bernard Drumm and Ruth Gladys O'Neill both of Pepperell.

Nov. 26 David B. Tierney and Marion E. Lovejoy Dow both of Pepperell.

Nov. 27 Francis F. Glines and Marion Reed Smith both of Nashua, N. H.

Nov. 27 Thorwald Hammar and Ann Martinkus both of Sudbury, Mass.

Dec. 20 Basil W. Deware of Pepperell and Edith Ellen Spofford of Townsend, Mass.

BIRTH RECORDED — 1930

Births occurring late in the year are sometime recorded without the Christian name. In all such cases parents should return the name to the Town Clerk as soon as it is selected in order that it may be entered upon the town books as an incompleteness of the record may involve much trouble in the future.

1929

Dec. 29 Raymond Eugene, son of George W. and Elinor Rice Nichols, Jr.

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Jan. 3 Lorraine, daughter of Loran and Helen Hartwell Sanford.

Jan. 8 Elizabeth Louise, daughter of Kenneth C. and Clara Simonson Johnson.

Jan. 13 Richard William, son of James and Pearl Jarvis Gillogly.

Jan. 13 Germaine Alice, daughter of Adrain A. and Emily Hardy Rondeau.

Jan. 22 Joseph Lee, son of Fred and Ruth McMahon Carter.

Jan. 25 Georgia Ann, daughter of Alton T. and Sylvia Potter Read.

Feb. 11 Irene Mary, daughter of Alfred J. and Agnes Rodier Hawley.

Feb. 12 Robert Adrain, son of Joseph and Florence Provencher LaPage.

Feb. 20 Robert, son of Daniel L. and Madeleine Murray Driscoll.

Feb. 21 Paul, son of Humphrey T. and Ethel Smith Sullivan.

Feb. 22 Daniel Frederick Jr., son of Daniel F. and Irene Blood Sherwin.

Feb. 25 Marjorie Loraine, daughter of William A. and Lillian Lawrence Blood.

Mar. 10 Phyllis Ellen, daughter of Joseph L. and Elizabeth Birch Bertrand.

Mar. 17 Charles Harry, son of Henry F. and Mary Hill Rogers Jr.

Mar. 19 William Arthur Jr., son of William A. and Doris Blood Straitiff.

Mar. 19 Ann, daughter of Harold R. and Joanna Colbert Pillsbury.

Mar. 24 Teresa, daughter of Jeremiah J. and Frances Dowens Murphy.

Mar. 30 Carl Davis, son of Victor H. and Rosalie Collins Gagnon.

April 1 Carrie, daughter of Larz and Marie Schapp Steinholtz.

April 9 Theresea Ann, daughter of Edward and Ann Sullivan Lynch.

April 17 Kathleen, daughter of Leon P. and Katherine Niland Herbert.

April 24 son of Charles T. and Mildred Dunn Henderson.

May 5 Stillborn.

May 7 daughter of Thomas and Mabel Bailey Conley.

May 17 David Lee, son of Rufus and Bertha McMahon Palmer.

May 20 Louis Donald, son of Chester W. and Carrie Stone Shattuck.

May 22 Stillborn.

May 23 Evelyn Irene, daughter of Henry and Mildred Lund Leary.

May 27 Warren Roland Jr., son of Warren R. and Winifred Curtis Penniman.

June 1 Bruce Emile, son of Victor and Gertrude Nokes Geiger.

June 4 Barbara May, daughter of Vernon C. and Hattie Temple Hamlett.

June 4 Joseph Russell, son of Melvin J. and Alice Shephard McDowell.

June 5

July 14 Lawrence Everett, son of Ellsworth and Rachel Chapman Richardson.

July 17 Janet, daughter of Harold B. and Dorice Bradish Olsen.

July 17 John Chester, son of Chester and Dorothy Phelan Jensen.

July 28 James Leon, son of James A. and Mary McMahon Niland.

Aug. 2 Richard Arthur, son of Leon and Aethra Winship Woodin.

Aug. 12 John Francis Jr., son of John F. and Teckla Wills Dee.

Aug. 25 Mary Ellen, daughter of Charles H. and Ellen Allen Boudreau.

Sept. 4 Dolores Jane, daughter of Dennis J. and Jane Brittian O'Brien.

Sept. 26 Edward Mellven, son of Raymond P. and Helen Peters Gaskill.

Sept. 27 Mary Teresa, daughter of Clifford B. and Mary Aldrich Munson.

Sept. 28 Jean, daughter of Earl B. and Vernice Hunt Rogers.

Sept. 30 George Frederick, son of George H. and Florence Powell Leahy.

Oct. 4 Harold Leo, son of Francis E. and Annabel Doherty Chase.

Oct. 26 Katherine Louise, daughter of Walter A. and Gladys Hill West.

Oct. 30 Edna Ruth, daughter of John J. and Ruth Beard Hutchins.

Nov. 12 Louise Frances, daughter of Cornelius A. and Cecilia Hemlow O'Leary.

Nov. 13 Helen Mae, daughter of Floyd D. and Frances Gilson Wright.

Nov. 20 Julian Hugh, son of Hugh and Marion Hathaway Murphy.

Nov. 26 Evelyn Ann, daughter of Robert and Gertrude Kahn Yeutter.

Dec. 2 Harland Dean, son of William W. and Ruth Batchelder Taylor.

Dec. 12 Nancy Grant, daughter of Walter E. and Florence Moorehouse Sherwood.

Dec. 21 . . . son of Ralph S. and Mildred Howe Brown.

READ THE LAW

Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child and every householder within forty days after a birth in his house shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. General Laws, Chap. 46. Sec. 6.

SOME OF THE MANY REASONS WHY BIRTHS SHOULD BE RECORDED

- To establish identity.
- To prove legitimacy.
- To prove nationality.
- To show when a child has a right to enter school.
- To show when a child has a right to seek employment under the Child Labor Law.
- To establish the right of inheritance to property.
- To establish liability to military duty as well as exemption therefrom.
- To establish the right to vote.
- To qualify to hold title to and to buy or sell real estate.
- To establish the right to hold public office.
- To prove the age at which the marriage contract may be entered into.
- To make possible statistical studies of health conditions.

Your co-operation to the end that all births may be properly recorded will be greatly appreciated.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT

	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930
Marriage.	34	27	36	31	30
Births.	62	59	56	61	55
Deaths,	76	39	49	56	59

DEATHS RECORDED 1930

Date	Name	Cause of Death	Age			
			Y.	M.	D.	
Jan. 1	Francis J. O'Bea,	Suicidal Hanging,	31	10	16	
Jan. 13	Edmund Sliney,	Myocarditis,	68			
Jan. 14	Harriet E. Lakin,	Cerebral hemorrhage,	76	3	17	
Jan. 25	Edward L. Parker,	Broncho Pneumonia,	0	4	8	
Feb. 10	Mabel E. Herbert,	Secondary Hemorrhage,	26	4	14	
Feb. 20	Forrest F. Winch,	Broncho Pneumonia,	39	5	19	
Mar. 6	Albert Ahira Pelton,	Arterio Sclerosis,	93	3	23	
Mar. 24	Robert Andrew Woodward,	Pluro Pneumonia,		11	10	
Mar. 29	Dudley L. Whitmarsh,	Cerebral Hemorrhage,		69	1	
Mar. 30	Alvaro Sinclair Stewart,	Gastric Ulcer,		4	22	
Apr. 2	Adelbert S. McNayr,	Kicked and Trampled on by Horse,		55	10	
Apr. 2	Elias B. Soule,	Suicidal Pistol wound in head,		63	5	
Apr. 4	William Ruppender,	Valvular Heart Disease,		78	3	
Apr. 12	Patrick Walsh,	Valvular Heart Disease,		71	10	
Apr. 15	Henry W. Lakin,	Intestinal Paralysis		82	7	
Apr. 18	William Allen Jr.,	Septic Lobar Pneumonia,		1	1	
Apr. 28	John F. Frederick,	Valvular Heart Disease,		70	10	
Apr. 30	Frederick N. Williams,	Cardio renal disease,		67	5	
May 2	Mary C. Brightman,	Arterio Sclerosis,		81	11	
May 2	Mary Louise Murphy,	Gastro enteritis,		1	1	
May 5	Stillborn.				12	
May 7	Conley,	Congenital debility,		Few hours		
May 10	Joseph Reedy O'Bea,	Valvular heart disease,		51	1	
May 17	John R. Whalon,	Pernicious Anaemia,		67	4	

May	22	Stillborn.				
June	4	Charles Alvah Stacy, Mitral Disease,	63	6	3	
June	7	Emelia Yakeusik, Peritonitis,	47	0	0	
June	17	Elizabeth Victoria Frening, Cerebral Hemorrhage,	75	1	27	
June	23	Mary L. Merrill, Cerebral Apoplexy,	77	10	29	
June	27	Clarence F. Wheeler, Valvular heart disease,	55	6	24	
June	30	Ida Luella Todd, Senile Dementia,	72	11	3	
July	2	Pauline E. Toomey, Septicemia,	5	1	28	
July	3	Martin F. Mullen, Carcinoma of liver,	48	3	21	
July	5	Ida E. Shattuck, Cerebral Apoplexy,	76	4	9	
July	6	Henry Porter Humes, Chronic Valvular Disease of Heart,	84	4	4	
July	17	Jessie A. Wilson, Angina Pectoris,	68	2	25	
Aug.	15	Sarah E. Carr, Locomotor Ataxia,	52	0	11	
Aug.	21	Deglani Dee, Carcinoma of liver with Metastasis,	63	0	0	
Aug.	24	Mary A. Bean, Pulmonary Odema,	63	0	4	
Aug.	26	Mary F. Howe, Carcinoma of cervix	54	11	13	
Sept.	7	Stillborn.				
Sept.	10	Frank Alvin Robbins, Arterio Sclerosis,	74	8	5	
Sept.	20	John Frederick Tune, Cerebral Apoplexy,	62	8	9	
Sept.	22	Peter Joyal, Natural causes,	64			
Oct.	11	Thomas F. Malley, Natural causes.	48	0	0	
Oct.	24	Nellie A. C. Woodward, Cerebral apoplexy	83	9	26	
Oct.	25	Frank Page Blake, Nephritis,	74	0	3	
Nov.	5	Amanda J. Emerson, Cerebral apoplexy,	80	9	21	
Nov.	5	William A. Drummond, Angina Pectoris,	60	10	28	
Nov.	6	Austin Saunders, Chronic Myocarditis	76			
Nov.	8	Orraella W. Dewar, Peri Tonitis,	38	5	6	
Nov.	9	Frances Jane Bowser, Valvular Heart Disease,	87	8	23	
Nov.	13	George D. Jacobs, Cerebral Apoplexy,	69	10	16	
Nov.	15	Charles Cunniff, Pulmonary Tuberculosis,	37	5	26	
Nov.	17	Frederick A. Whitney, Arterio Sclerosis,	72	7	9	

Dec. 14	Catherine M. Cunniff, Chronic Valvular Heart Disease.	70	0	0
Dec. 20	Ruth Merrill, Epilepsy,	40	8	0
Dec. 22	(male) Brown, Premature Birth,	0	0	1
Dec. 30	Mary J. Blood, Arterio Sclerosis,	79	1	15

TO DOG OWNERS AND KEEPERS

I would like to impress upon the owners and keepers of dogs the advisability of paying their dog licenses promptly when they become due, and thus avoid the necessity of placing a list of the delinquents in the hands of the Chief of Police for collection, which occasions unnecessary expense and annoyance to such owners and keepers. Dogs shall be licensed on or before March 31. The owner or keeper of a dog which becomes three months old after March 31 in any year shall, when it is three months old, cause it to be registered numbered, described, licensed and collared as required by law.

Whoever violates the above provision shall be liable to a fine of \$15.00.

Amount paid County Treasurer on account of Dogs licensed for 1930, \$707.40 for which amount I hold the County Treasurer's receipt.

I have issued 305 Sporting, Trapping and duplicate Licenses. The fees for same have been sent to the Division of Fisheries and Game, and I hold their receipts.

Respectfully submitted,

WILFRED E. LEARY,

Town Clerk.

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

Pepperell, February 17, 1930

Pursuant to the Warrant the annual town meeting was held on the above date in Town Hall.

The meeting was called to order by Town Clerk Wilfred E. Leary at 7.30 o'clock P. M. who then read the Warrant and called for the choice of a Moderator.

Under Article 1 Harry W. Hutchinson was chosen Moderator; he was sworn in by the Town Clerk and at once took up his duties.

Article 2. Voted to accept the reports of the town officers and committees as they appeared in the Town Reports with a minor correction in the report of the Water Department.

Article 3. Voted that all officers not required by law to be elected by ballot be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 4. Voted that the Treasurer with the consent of the Selectmen be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1930 and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year the limit upon the amount that may be borrowed in anticipation of revenue shall not exceed \$65,000.00.

Article 5. Voted that the Poll and Personal property taxes for 1930 be due on presentation of Tax Bill and that all taxes on Real Estate shall be due and payable October 15, 1930, and that upon all taxes remaining unpaid November 1, 1930 Interest shall be paid at the rate of 6% per annum from October 15, 1930 with the exception of Poll taxes upon which interest shall be paid at the

rate of 6% per annum beginning July 1, 1930 and all taxes over Two hundred dollars an additional penalty of 2% as provided by law, all taxes shall be paid by January 1, 1931, and upon motion of Warren C. Fuller it was voted that on all current taxes of 1930 collected by January 1, 1931 the collector be paid 1% and on those collected thereafter he be paid $\frac{3}{4}$ of 1%.

Article 6. Voted to raise and appropriate \$800.00 for District and School Nursing the same to be expended as part payment of the salary of a Nurse supplied by the Pepperell District Nurse Association.

Article 7. Voted to accept and adopt the recommendations of the Finance Committee and to raise and appropriate the following sums:

Interest,	2,000.00	Fire Dept.,	3,000.00
Playground,	25.00	Fire Dept., Painting	
Street Lights,	5,100.00	Apparatus,	150.00
State Aid,	216.00	Police Dept.,	2,500.00
Sealer W. & M.,	75.00	Schools, Dog Tax plus,	40,500.0
Town Hall,	700.00	Snow Paths,	1,000.00
Town Charges,	7,000.00	Public Welfare,	9,750.00
Water Bonds,	5,500.00	Mothers' Aid,	6,500.00
Common,	75.00	Bridges,	1,200.00
Cemeteries,	550.00	Highways (Village	
Forest Warden,	200.00	Limits)	2,500.00
Board of Health,	800.00	Memorial Day,	150.0
Insurance,	1,800.00		

and to appropriate from the surplus fund for the Sealer of Weights and Measures for 1929, \$75.00.

Article 8. Voted to appropriate \$300.00 from the surplus fund for rental of American Legion Headquarters.

Article 9. Voted to raise and appropriate \$200.00 to be expended by and the Director to serve in cooperation with Middlesex County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture in the work of Middlesex County Extension Service. Sec. 40 to 45, Chap. 128.

Gen. Laws of Mass., Mr. Trescott T. Abele was elected Director.

Article 10. Voted to raise and appropriate \$5,000.00 for Townsend, River and Dunstable and Nashua Roads providing State and County each appropriate a like amount.

Article 11. Voted that \$6,000.00 be raised and appropriated for general oiling.

Article 12. Voted to raise and appropriate \$1,484.51 the amount of the gypsy moth liability for 1930.

Article 13. Voted to raise and appropriate \$100.00 to employ Town Counsel for year 1930.

Article 14. Voted to raise and appropriate \$8,500.00 provided the State agrees to expend \$6,800.00 for repaid and improvement of outlying roads, exclusive of State Highways. Section 26 through 29, Chap. 81, Gen. Laws as amended.

Article 15. Voted that a sum not to exceed \$520.00 be raised and appropriated to improve street lighting, by changing some lights from 250 candle power to 600 candle power and that a committee of three be appointed by the Moderator consisting of one Selectman and two business men to carry out this article.

Moderator appointed, Warren C. Fuller Selectman and George H. DuPaw and Loran H. Sanford, business men.

Article 16. Voted to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 to be spent during 1930 for erection of traffic and routing signs and markers. this sum to be spent under the direction of the Highway Surveyor and a committee of three to be selected by him.

Article 17. Voted to raise and appropriate \$300.00 for six open air Band Concerts to be given by the Pepperell Junior Band during July and August 1930.

Article 18. Voted the Highway Surveyor can take all the gravel he needs from the Town Farm Pit, if there is a pit there.

Article 19. Voted the Selectmen call a special town meeting

within forty days for the purpose of reviewing the by-laws as recommended by the By-Laws committee, that these same by-laws be printed for two successive weeks in a local paper and that \$100.00 be raised and appropriated to defray this expense.

Article 20. Voted to extend street lights on Nashua Road to a point opposite the residence of Lars Steinholtz, and raise and appropriate \$100.00 for installation and maintenance of same.

Article 21. Voted to raise and appropriate \$480.00 to purchase leather helmets and six gas masks for use of the firemen, also voted that the original committee consisting of David B. Tierney, James Cunniff, and George Boutwell with the engineers be given full power and authority to purchase these articles.

Article 22. Voted to raise and appropriate \$60.00 for use of Town Forest Committee.

Article 23. Voted to raise and appropriate \$3,000.00 provided State and County appropriate each a like amount same to be used on Groton Street as far as it will go starting from the Groton Town Line.

Article 24. Voted to raise and appropriate \$1,500.00 for building new sidewalks on Main Street to begin where work left off in 1929 and to continue to the corner of Park Street, balance if any to be used at the discretion of Highway Surveyor.

Article 25. Voted to raise and appropriate \$768.64 to take care of 1928-1929 vocational schools tuition bills.

Article 26. Voted to raise and appropriate \$1,000.00 for hydrant service.

Article 27. Voted to pass over this article.

Article 28. Voted that the Highway Surveyor purchase new equipment for the removal of snow from the appropriation of \$1,000.00 under article 7 if he so chooses.

Article 29. Voted the Selectmen and Engineers of Fire Dept. inspect the present equipment of the Fire Dept. and bring in a de-

finite report and recommendations at a future town meeting.

Article 30. Voted to raise and appropriate \$350.00 to purchase 500 feet of new hose for the Fire Dept.

Article 31. Voted to raise and appropriate \$800.00 and appropriate the receipts from the Library for running expenses of same.

Article 32. Voted to appropriate from the surplus fund \$1,091.83 to take care of unpaid interest of 1929.

Article 33. Voted to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for cutting brush along the highways of the Town.

Article 34. After hearing Mr. A. G. Pike read his report, it was voted to appropriate the original sum of \$1,583.98 called Surplus War Bonus Fund, plus \$616.02 additional from the surplus fund making a total of \$2,200.00 to carry out the provisions of this article. That the Moderator appoint two additional members to this commissee bringing the number up to the original five.

ARCHIBALD G. PIKE

CHARLES H. JEWETT

EDWARD GAGNON

ROGER S. ROBBINS) Additional members appointed
HAROLD J. HAYES) by Moderator.

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Pepperell, March 24, 1930

Pursuant to the Warrant a special town meeting was held on the above date in Town Hall.

Meeting called to order at 8.00 P. M. by Town Clerk Wilfred E. Leary who then read the Warrant and called for the choice of a Moderator.

Under Article 1. Harry W. Hutchinson was chosen Moderator and was sworn in by Town Clerk. he at once took up Article 2.

Article 2. Voted to raise and appropriate \$500.00 for a contingent fund.

Article 3. Voted the High School be allowed the use of Prescott Hall for basket ball provided that they carry out the terms of this article.

Article 4. Voted to pass over this article.

Article 5. Voted the Selectmen be authorized to purchase a piece of land in this general vicinity for a public dump and that \$100.00 be raised and appropriated to bind a bargain.

Article 6. Voted that the Local American Legion Post be granted permission for the use of the Varnum House for their headquarters.

Article 7. After many revisions were made and several sections of articles in the by-laws dropped and some new ones added it was voted to accept them subject to the approval of the District Attorney.

Voted to adjourn meeting.

A true copy.

Attest,

WILFRED E. LEARY, *Town Clerk.*

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Pepperell, June 17, 1930

Pursuant to the Warrant a special town meeting was held on the above date in Town Hall.

Meeting called to order by Town Clerk Wilfred E. Leary at 8.00 o'clock P. M. who read the warrant and called for a choice of a Moderator.

Under Article 1, Harry W. Hutchinson was chosen moderator, he was sworn in by Town Clerk, and at once took up his duties.

Article 2. Voted that the Selectmen be authorized to execute, sign and pass a deed to the so called town farm property on behalf of the Town.

Article 3. Voted to pass over article 3.

Article 4. Voted to pass over article 4.

Article 5. After hearing report of this committee a vote by ballot was taken to see if the meeting would accept same report. Total votes cast 69. Yes 15, No 54. After announcing the results the Moderator declared he would rule that no further action could be taken under this article.

Article 6. Voted this article be left in hands of the Selectmen to settle as they see fit, with an amendment that the sum not exceed \$100.00 for the damage.

Article 7. Voted to appropriate from the surplus fund \$120 to put lights in the Varnum place for the American Legion.

Article 8. Voted that this be charged to the appropriation at the last meeting. (under Article 5)

A true copy.

Attest: WILFRED E. LEARY, *Town Clerk.*

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING

Pepperell, December 11, 1930

Pursuant to the Warrant a special town meeting was held on the above date in Town Hall.

Meeting called to order by Town Clerk Wilfred E. Leary at 8.00 o'clock P. M. who read the Warrant and called for the choice of a Moderator.

Under Article 1. Harry W. Hutchinson was elected to serve as Moderator.

Article 2. Voted that the Town accept the provisions of Section 23, Chapter 39, General Laws.

Article 3. Voted that the town will adopt Section 1-3-5 of Article 1 of the by-laws.

Article 4. Voted that the Town adopt Article 5 of the by-laws as amended.

Article 5. Voted to pass over Article 5.

Article 6. Voted that the town appropriate from the surplus fund \$478.45 to pay the cost of the Soldiers Memorial Monument in excess of appropriation made. Also voted to accept the report of this committee.

Voted to dissolve the meeting.

A true copy.

Attest: WILFRED E. LEARY, *Town Clerk.*

Report of the Trustees of the Lawrence Library

The trustees respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1930.

ORGANIZATION

Chairman,

P. J. Hayes

Secretary,

A. G. Pike

Executive Committee,

Gladys Johnson

P. J. Hayes

A. G. Pike

Finance Committee,

A. G. Pike

C. B. Taft

P. J. Hayes

Book Committee,

Martha E. Smith

Marion W. Fuller

Archibald G. Pike

Your trustees to better serve the ever increasing patronage and to give more attention to the larger number of school children who are now using the library, owing partly to the certificate for

reading established by the Dept. of Education, have secured the services of an assistant librarian, Mrs. Ruth Sheedy, for two hours each library day until such time as other changes may be made in the number of days the library will be open.

Your trustees feel the growing need of the library being open a part of each day without increasing materially the number of hours per week and with very little additional expense.

We are here giving comparative figures showing the increase in circulation over a period of five years, also average yearly expense for the same period.

Circulation—1926—13845 volumes
1927—15206 volumes
1928—16618 volumes.
1929—17474 volumes
1930—19191 volumes

Average yearly expense \$3,365.84

Your library building is in good repair and we see no necessary repairs beyond the ordinary.

We have made some slight changes in the piping connected with the heater and are getting some better results, but the heating system is not as efficient or economical as it would be with a modern type boiler and piping.

We are asking for \$800.00 to defray the expense of this department for the year 1931.

The trustees desire here to express their thanks and appreciation of all who have in any way helped to make the past year so successful.

Respectfully submitted,

P. J. HAYES, *Chairman*

January 1, 1931

To the Trustees of the Lawrence Library :-

The librarian respectfully submits the following report and list of books added in 1930.

HELEN M. WILEY

TABLE OF STATISTICS

Circulation

Number of days library was open,	202
Number of books circulated during the year,	19,191
Average daily circulation,	96
Number of patrons registered during year,	157
Classified circulation of adult books :	

General Works,	10	Fine Arts,	71
Philosophy,	66	Literature,	515
Religion,	51	History,	221
Sociology,	49	Travel,	287
Science,	111	Biography,	348
Magazines,	1628	Fiction,	9293
Foreign books,	23	Language,	2

Classified circulation of juvenile books :

General Works,	45	Fine Arts,	58
Religion,	20	Literature,	112
Sociology,	300	History,	220
Science,	181	Travel,	114
Biography,	144	Fiction,	5137

The adult circulation was 12,793 and the juvenile was 6,398,

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making a gain of 1,177 in the adult and 440 in the juvenile over the preceding year.

ACCESSIONS

Volumes in library, January 1, 1930,	20,795
Volumes added in 1930:	
By purchase,	239
By gift,	40
By binding St. Nicholas magazines,	2

Among the more important books we have added may be mentioned:- Burbank's "Harvest of the year"; Thomson's "Outline of science"; Comstock's "Handbook of nature study"; "Adams family"; "American scene", collection of plays; Francois Villon" and "Pathways of the Puritans".

Mrs. Anna Robinson and Miss Annetta Merrill have been generous as usual and have given us books of fiction and non-fiction during the year. If more of our patrons cared to give the library occasional volumes of popular fiction, it would release some of our funds for more worthwhile purchases.

We have borrowed on several occasions, books from the lending library at the State House. This collection under the management of the Division of Public Libraries includes timely books other than fiction.

LIST OF DONORS OF BOOKS AND MAGAZINES

Miss Amy Aldrich	Mrs. Anna Robinson
Miss Florence Kemp	Mrs. Ruth Sheedy
Mass. Tercentenary Comm.	Time-Press Pub. Co.
Miss Annetta Merrill	United Fruit Co.
Mrs. Louise Richardson	Miss Pansy Wady

LIST OF MAGAZINES IN READING ROOM

American Boy	Popular Mechanics
Literary Digest	Delineator
American Magazine	Reader's Guide
Home Geographic Magazine	Etude
Atlantic Monthly	Review of Reviews
Nature	Geographic
Book Review Digest	St. Nicholas
Our Dumb Animals	Good Housekeeping
Booklist	Saturday Evening Post
Outlook	Harper's
Boston Transcript	Scientific American
Pepperell Free Press	House Beautiful
Boy's Life	Scribner's
Photoplay	John Martin's Book
Child Life	Woman's Home Companion
Pictorial Review	Ladies' Home Journal
Clarion Advertiser	World's Work

LAWRENCE LIBRARY HOURS

Mondays and Thursdays — 9-12 A. M. — 2-5 P. M.

Wednesdays and Saturdays—9-12 A. M.—2-5 P. M.—6.30-9 P. M.

LIST OF BOOKS ADDED TO LAWRENCE LIBRARY 1930

General Literature

Adams, J. T.	The Adams Family	B
Bell, Mrs. N. S., comp.	Pathways of the Puritans	917.44
Birney, H.	Roads to Roam	917.8
Boni, A.	Modern Book of French Verse	841
Burbank, L. & Hall, W.	Harvest of the Years	B
Cadman, S. P.	Peace	252
Coffin, R. P. T.	An Attic Room	814
Collins, J.	The Doctor Looks at Love and Life	814

Comstock, A. B.	Handbook of Nature Study	507
Connelly, M.	Green Pastures	812.5
Coolidge, C.	Autobiography	B
Crowthers, M. O.	Book of Letters	808.5
Crowther, S.	Romance and rise of Amer. tropics	972.8
Dakin, E. F.	Mrs. Eddy. A virginal mind	B
Drinkwater, J.	Bird in Hand. A play in three acts	822
Dunn, E. A.	Mediterranean Picture Lands	914
Dyott, G. M.	On the trail of the unknown	918.2
Fay, B.	Franklin. Apostle of modern times	B
Flavin, M.	The Criminal Code. Play	812
Fulop-Miller, R.	Rasputin	B
Greene, A. B.	A lighthearted journey	914.4
Harris, M. D.	Unknown Warwickshire	914.2
Humphrey, Z.	Beloved Community	814
Humphrey, Z.	Winterwise	814
James, W.	Lone Cowboy	B
Keller, H.	Midstream. My later life	B
Kennedy, C. R.	Plays for three players	822
King, Basil	Conquest of Fear	131
Lewis, D. B. W.	Francois Villon	B
Ludwig, E.	Son of Man	232
Mass. Tercent. Comm.	Historical Markers	917.44
Milne, A. A.	Those were the days	828
Packard, W.	Old Plymouth Trails	917.44
Phelps, W. L.	Essays on Things	814
Porter, G. S.	Tales you won't believe	590.4
Reese, L. W.	White April and Other Poems	811
Ripley, R. L.	Believe It or Not	828
Risley, E.	The Road to Wildcat	917.5
Rogers, W.	Ether and Me or Just Relax	817
Rowlandson, Mary	Narrative of her capture and restoration	974.4
Slosson, E. E.	Creative Chemistry	660
Stoddard, L.	Luck	174
Thomson, J. A.	Outline of Science v. 4	500

Townsend, W. and I.	Biography of the Prince of Wales	B
Turner, N. B.	A Riband on my rein	811
Vallee, R.	Vagabond dreams come true	B
Van Dyke, H.	Man behind the book	814
Whiting, E. E.	Changing New England	917.4
Woodward, W. E.	Meet General Grant	B
Wright, E.	The great horn spoon	915.4

Fiction

Ashton, H.	Dr. Serecold	As38d
Bacheller, I.	Candle in the wilderness	B123
Baring, M.	Coat without seam	B24
Barnes, M. A.	Years of grace	B262y
Beeding, F.	Five flamboys	B393f
Benson, T.	Salad days	B444s
Berger, H.	Golden Key	B453g
Berkeley, A.	Poisoned chocolate case	B455p
Biggers, E. D.	Seven key to Baldpate	B482s
Birney, H.	Canon of Lost Waters	B538c
Blasco Ibanez	Unknown lands	B612u
Blodgett, R.	Birds got to fly	B62
Brush, K.	Young man of Manhattan	B839y
Buchan, J.	Courts of the morning	B852c
Cannon, C.	Heirs	C164h
Cauffman, S. H.	Adventures of Polydore	C31
Charteris, L.	White rider	C385w
Clarke, C.	Aces up	C55a
Cleugh, S.	Spring	C59s
Cole, C. D.	Poison in a garden suburb	C67p
Colver, A. R.	Red-headed goddess	C724r
Connolly, J. B.	Gloucestermen (short stories)	C7623g
Coolidge, D.	War paint	C777w
Deeping, W.	Kitty	D36k
Driggs, L.	On secret air	D832o
Edginton, M.	Life isn't so bad	Ed38L

Edmonds, W. D.	The big barn	Ed57b
Erskine, L. Y.	Renfrew rides the sky	Er85rs
Evarts, H. G.	Tomahawk rights	Ev19to
Ferber, E.	Cimarron	F373ci
Ferguson, J.	Murder on the marsh	F38m
Fisher, D. C.	The deepening stream	F532d
Gibbs, A. H.	Chances	G35c
Gibbs, P.	Hidden city	G354hi
Green, A.	The Selbys	G823s
Gregory, J.	Desert thoroughbred	G862de
Grey, Z.	Fighting caravans	G895fi
Grey, Z.	Shepherd of Guadalupe	G8695s
Hart, F. N.	Hide in the dark	H251h
Hendryx, J. B.	Blood on the Yukon trail	H385b
Horier, S.	Curse of Doone	H783
Hurst, F.	Five and ten	H944f
Irwin, M.	None so pretty	Ir89n
Komroff, M.	Coronet	K836
La Farge, O.	Laughing Boy	L13L
Landon, H.	Gray phantom	L237g
Lardner, R. W.	Round up (short stories)	L322r
Larrimore, L.	Mulberry Square	L328m
LeMay, A.	One of us is a murderer	L541o
Lincoln, J. C.	Blowing clear	L6347bL
Loring, E.	Lighted windows	L892L
Loring, E.	Swift water	L892sw
Lovelace, M. H.	Early candlelight	L943
Luther, M. L.	Card 13	L977c
Lutz, G. L. H.	Prodigal girl	L978pr
McCutcheon, G. B.	Blades	M139bL
McNeile, C.	Bull-dog Drummond	M233
Marshall, E.	The Missionary	M3553m
Martin, H. R.	Yoked with a lamb and other stories	M364y
Merrick, L.	The little dog laughed (short stories)	M552L

Miln, L.	By Soochow Waters	M634b
Milne, A. A.	Mr. Pim	M635m
Mowery, W. B.	Heart of the North	M872h
My best story	Anthology of short stories	M99
Nason, L.	Corporal once	N18c
Nason, L.	Incomplete mariner (short stories)	N18i
Norris, K.	Passion Flower	N794p
Norris, K.	Red Flower	N794r
Onions, Mrs. O.	Today's Daughter	On4to
Oppenheim, E. P.	Lion and the lamb	Op5Li
Oppenheim, E. P.	Matorni's Vineyard	Op5mv
Ostenso, M.	Young May Moon	Os7y
Patrick, D.	Gather the Stars	P276g
Patterson, N.	Gay Procession	P277g
Payne, E. S.	Hedges	P29h
Pedler, M.	Fire of Youth	P34f
Peel, D.	Five on Parade	P345f
Peterkin, J.	Scarlet Sister Mary	P44e
Rath, E. J.	Something for nothing	R187s
Reynolds, G. M.	The Stranglehold	R336s
Richmond, G. S.	High Fences	R414h
Rinehart, M. R.	The Door	R472d
Rinehart, M. R.	Romantics (short stories)	R472ro
Roberts, C.	Pamela's Spring Song	R54p
Rosman, A. G.	The Young and Secret	R733y
Scarborough, D.	Can't Get a Red Bird	Sca7
Scott, E.	The Wave	Scs83w
Sears, C. E.	Whispering Pines	Se16w
Sedgwick, A. D.	Philippa	Se28p
Seltzer, C. A.	Gone North	Se4go
Sidgwick, E.	When I grow rich	Si133w
Stone, G. Z.	The bitter tea of General Yen	St71
Suckow, R.	Cora	Su18c
Swinnerton, F.	The merry heart	Sw6m
Tarkington, B.	Penrod Jashber	T175pj
Thompson, E.	Night falls on Siva's hill	T373n

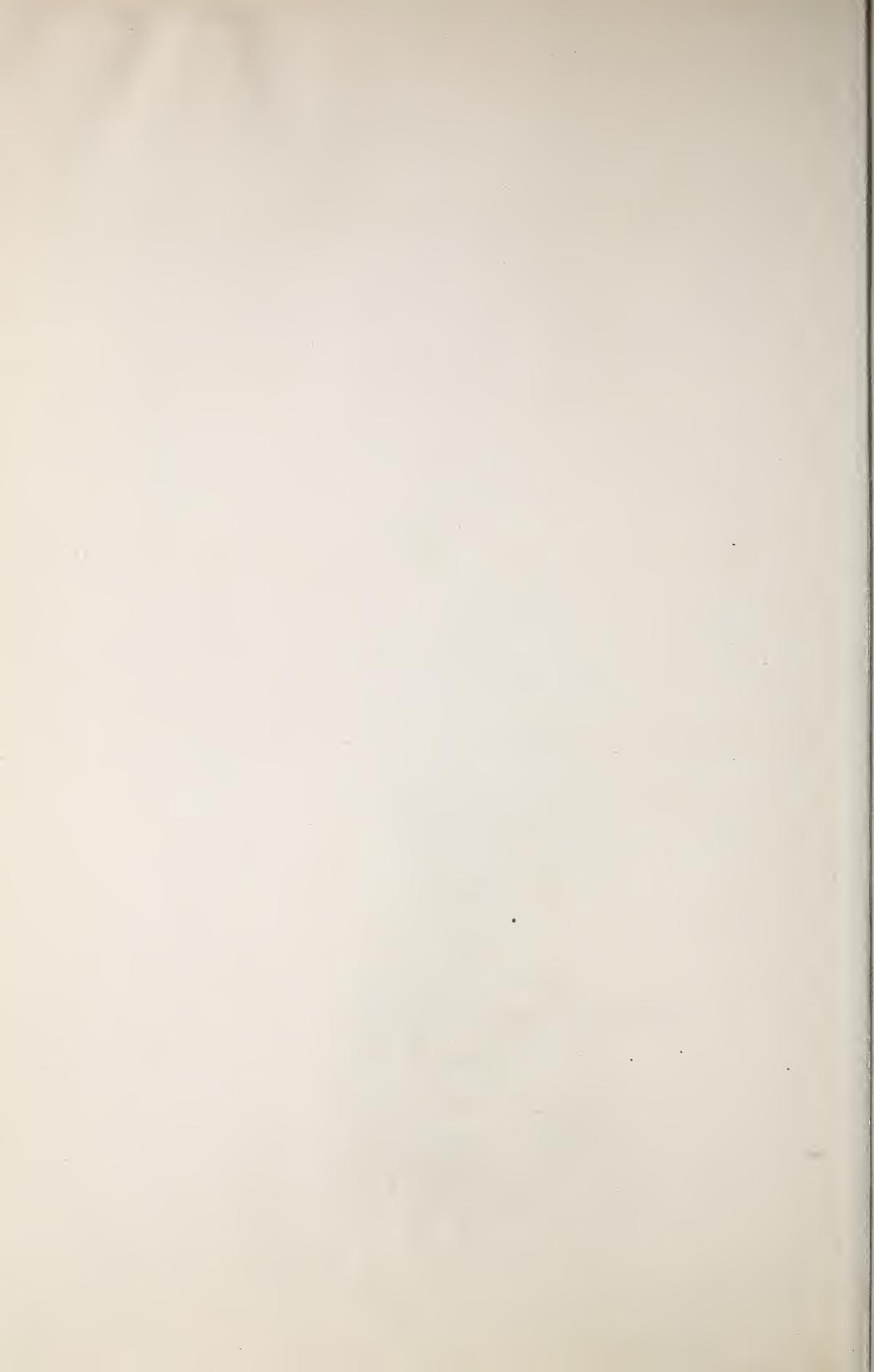
Tomlinson, H. M.	All our yesterdays	T598
Tyson, J. A.	Rhododendron man	T988r
Vandine, S. S.	Greene murder case	V286g
Wallace, E.	Green ribbon	W155g
Wallace, E.	Green rust	W155gr
Walling, R. A.	Man with the squeaky voice	W158m
Walpole, H.	Rogue Herries	W165r
Walsh, M.	Small dark man	W168s
Wentworth, P.	Fool Errant	W488f
Wharton, E.	Hudson River bracketed	W555hu
Whitechurch, V. L.	First and Last	W587f
Widdemer, M.	All the king's horses	W634
Widdemer, M.	Loyal Lover	W634L
Wilder, T.	Woman of Andros	W645w
Williams, B. A.	Touchstone	W669t
Williams, J. L.	She knew she was right	W673
Williamson, H.	The beautiful years	W677
Williamson, H.	Dandelion Days	WD677d
Willoughby, B.	The Trail Eater	W684t
Wilson, H. L.	Lone Tree	W693Lo
Wodehouse, P. G.	Fish Preferred	W817f
Wren, P. G.	Soldiers of fortune	W927so
Wright, H. B.	Exit	W932e
Wynne, A.	Yellow Crystal	W992y
Wynne, P.	A little flat in the temple	W994
Young, S.	River house	Yo89r

Juvenile Books

Albert, E.	Little Pilgrim to Penn's Woods	JAL14L
Aldredge, E. M.	Wags and Woofie	jAI23w
Ashmun, M.	No School Tomorrow	jAs36n
Berger, H.	Mystery of World's End	jB453m
Boy Scout's Handbook for 1930		j796
Bryant, S. C.	Gordon in the great woods	jB841gw
Chase, M. E.	Silver Shell	jC383s

Cherubini	Pinocchio in Africa	jC424p
Crew, H. C.	Alanna	jC866
Crump, I.	Boy's book of Forest Rangers	j634
Curtis, A. T.	Little maid of Vermont	jC94L8
Davis, M. L.	Alaska. The Great Bear's Cub	j917.91
Field, R.	Hitty, her first first hundred years	jF45h
Finger, C. J.	Courageous Companions	jF495c
Fogler, D.	Rusty Pete	jF689
Fyleman, R.	Tea Time Tales	jF99t
Grey, Z.	Ken Ward in the jungle	jG869k
Hagedorn, H.	Book of Courage	j920
Hall, J.	Viking Tales	jH143v
Hendryx, J. B.	Connie Morgan hits the trail	jH385c
Hooker, F. C.	Star. An Indian Pony.	jH764s
Justus, M.	Peter Pocket's Luck	jJ986p
Keyes, M. W.	Juniper Green	jK521j
Klett, G. J.	When Star Children Play	jK679
LaRue, M. G.	Little Indians	jL329L
Lofting, H.	Doctor Dolittle's Circus	jL827dc
Lofting, H.	Doctor Dolittle's Zoo	jL827dz
MacDonald, G.	Light Princess	M146L
Maynard, L.	Twinkle, little movie star.	jM455
Minot, J. C.	Best animal stories I know	j590
Montgomery, L. M.	Anne's house of dreams	jM67a4
Montgomery, L. M.	Rilla of Ingleside	jM767ri
Morrow, E.	Painted Pig	jM833p
Patch, E. M.	Holiday Pond	j597
Pennell, M. E.	Happy children readers	jP382h
Perkins, L. F.	Indian Twins	jP419in
Pierson, C. D.	Allens and Aunt Hannah	jP613a
Porter, E. H.	Six Star Ranch	jP833s
Potter, B.	Fairy Caravan	jP852f
Price, E. B.	Luck of Glenlorn	jP93L
Quennell, M.	Everyday life in Homeric Greece	j938
Reed, W. M.	The Earth for Sam	j551
Rowell, P. E.	Introduction to Science	j500

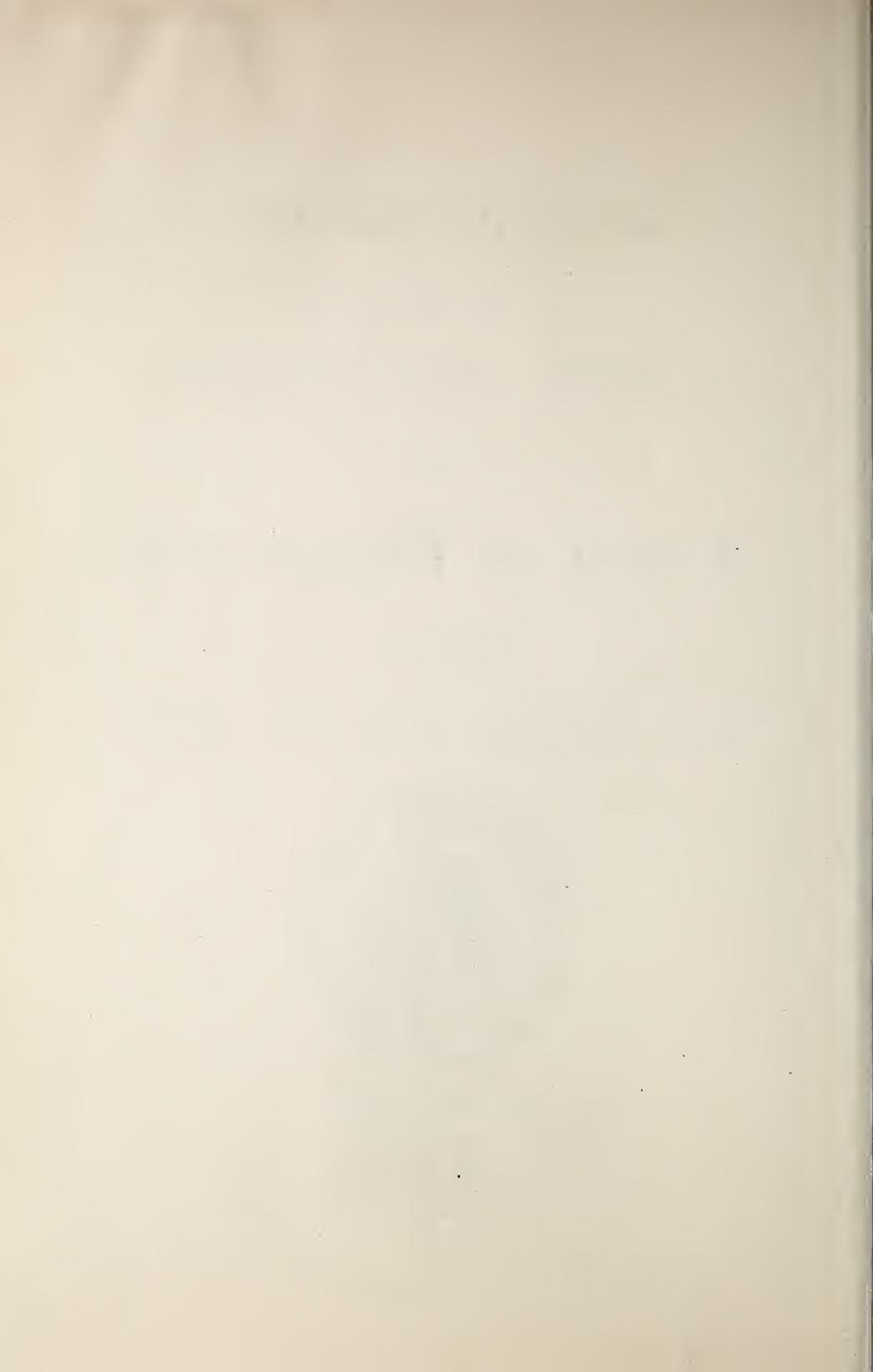
Schultz, J. W.	White Beaver	j970.1
Seaman, A. H.	Charlemonte Crest	jSel6c
Snedeker, C. D.	Black Arrowhead	jSn22b
Sugimoto, E. I.	With Taro and Hana in Japan	j915.2
Theiss, L. E.	Piloting the U. S. Air Mail	jT34p
Ver Beck, F.	Little Black Sambo and Baby Elephant	jV579
Verdery, E.	All sorts of good stories	jV58a
White, E. O.	Sally in her fur coat	jW582sa
Williamson, T.	Opening Davy Jone's Locker	jW676o
Wright, L. E.	Magic boat	jW933m



**ANNUAL REPORT
of the
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT
of the
Town of Pepperell
of the
Year Ending Dec. 31, 1930**



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Organization for 1930

CHARLES H. JEWETT, Chairman,
WILLIAM N. BLOOD, Secretary,
P. J. HAYES,

Term expires 1931
Term expires 1932
Term expires 1933

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

GEORGE B. CLARKE, Residence, Townsend St., Pepperell
Residence Telephone, 211
Office at Clara M. Shattuck School, Telephone, 22

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

HAROLD W. AYRES, M. D. Residence, Groton

SCHOOL NURSE

Pepperell District Nursing Association
ELLEN C ONLEY, Nurse

JANITORS

FRANK D. FARLEY, High and C. M. Shattuck Schools
CLYDE O. PARKER, Ass. at High and C. M. Shattuck Schools
E. J. GORMAN, Groton St. and Tarbell St. Schools

BUS DRIVERS

WILLIAM R. GREENWOOD, Oak Hill & Townsend Rd.	Route
WARREN C. FULLER,	South Road Route
ANDREW C. WOODWARD,	North Pepperell Route
HAROLD C. GILBERT.	Nashua Road Route

SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

JOSEPH T. SHEPARD

NO-SCHOOL SIGNAL

At 7.45: three blasts on fire alarm repeated three times means no session in any school for the day.

At 11.30: same signal means all schools will continue in session until 1.00 and dismiss for the day.

SCHOOL CALENDAR FOR 1931

High School

December 29, 1930 to February 20, 1931,	8 weeks
March 2 to April 24,	8 weeks
May 4 to June 26,	8 weeks
September 8 to December 23,	16 weeks
January 4 to February 26, 1932	

Elementary Schools

January 5 to February 20,	7 weeks
March 2 to April 24,	8 weeks
May 4 to June 19,	7 weeks
September 8 to December 23,	16 weeks
January 4 to February 26, 1932	

Schools will not be in session April 20, September 7, October 12 and 30 (Teachers' Convention), November 11, 26, 27, Dec. 24, 25.

DUDLEY L. WHITMARSH
Principal of Pepperell High School
September, 1913 to September, 1929
Died March 29, 1930

Report of School Committee

The School Committee respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1930.

RESOURCES

Appropriation for schools,	\$40,500.00
Dog Tax of 1929,	631.28
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Expended as per following statement,	\$41,131.28
	40,415.82
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Balance on hand December 31, 1930,	\$ 715.46

EXPENDITURES

General Control

Salaries of School Committee,	\$ 150.00
Salary of Superintendent.	1,800.00
Expenses of Superintendent,	154.61
Huntley S. Turner, printing,	27.00
Ruth L. Wilson, taking census,	38.00
Wright and Potter Printing Co., acct. blanks,	8.25
J. L. Hammett Co.,	.73
Supervisor of Attendance,	34.90
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	\$2,213.49

Expenses of Instruction

Salaries of Supervisors (Physical Training, Drawing, Music),	\$ 1,068.00
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Salaries of High School Teachers,	7,952.50
Salaries of Elementary School Teachers,	16,420.18
High School Text Books,	116.16
High School Supplies,	316.52
Elementary School Text Books,	570.87
Elementary School Supplies,	833.72

	\$27,277.95

Expenses of Operating

Paid to Janitors,	\$1,741.40
Fuel, high school,	383.71
Fuel, elementary schools,	1,311.73
Miscellaneous, high school,	
Light,	\$39.48
Water,	25.19
Paper towels,	9.00
Liquid Soap,	2.75
Boiler Inspection,	15.00
Ban,	3.14
Brushes,	2.07
Attridge Bros..	.55
A. W. Bartlett,	3.63

	\$100.81

Miscellaneous, elementarry schools,	
Light,	\$98.89
Water,	66.56
Telephone,	37.94
Arthur W. Bartlett,	15.87
Paper towels,	48.50
Toilet paper,	4.65
Ban,	6.28
Brushes,	4.14
Liquid Soap,	21.18
E. E. Babb and Co.,	7.92

P. J. Hayes,	4.50
John H. Boynton,	2.50
Attridge Bros.,	.76

	319.69

	\$3,857.34

Repairs

High School,

Arthur W. Bartlett,	\$18.58
Flag,	6.13
Fred B. Ross,	23.40
Typewriter repairs,	12.85 . .
D. E. Weston,	68.79
Chester A. Parker,	52.28
R. S. Andrews,	3.50
Thomas Coady,	5.00
Webber Lumber Supply Co.,	35.00
J. H. Miner.	41.75
J. L. Hammett Co.,	11.96

\$279.24

Elementary Schools,

Arthur W. Bartlett,	\$ 61.59
Dowling School Supply Co.,	2.64
Flag,	6.13
A. W. Moody,	2.30
John M. Davis,	16.75
Fred B. Ross,	5.00
Edward A. Johnson,	1.84
Emory Barkhouse,	4.23
D. E. Weston,	46.60
Chester A. Parker,	416.84
Webber Lumber Supply Co.,	7.03
Thomas Coady,	16.22

P. J. Hayes,	41.50
J. H. Miner,	7.20
Willis E. Blood,	9.25
A. A. Charbonneau,	2.00
Edwin E. Iten,	41.65
James F. Brown,	6.00
J. L. Hammett Co.,	17.42

	\$712.19

	\$991.43

Auxiliary Agencies

Libraries, High.	\$ 91.52
Health. Salary of Physician,	\$250.00
Supplies.	5.80

Transportation,	255.80
Lowell Vocational Schools, Tuition,	5,037.00
(April-December)	317.38
Graduation expenses,	28.16

	\$5,729.86

New Equipment

John M. Davis,	\$108.34
Arthur W. Bartlett,	8.00
Toy Orchestra Instruments,	15.16
Fred B. Ross,	95.25
A. J. Saunders & Son,	13.50
D. E. Weston,	72.95
D. F. Munroe Co.,	3.00

Masury Young Co.,	3.30
J. L. Hammett Co.,	26.25
	345.75
Total of expenditures.	\$40,415.82

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. JEWETT,

WILLIAM N. BLOOD,

P. J. HAYES,

School Committee.

Report of Superintendent of Schools

To the School Committee of Pepperell:

The following is the eleventh annual report of the present incumbent. There have been superintendents of schools in Pepperell most of the time for at least thirty eight years, and continuously since 1902, as supervision became compulsory in Massachusetts at that time. Pepperell has had union supervision with Dunstable and Tyngsboro since 1924, and has been associated with Dunstable since 1913.

In the reports of the high school principal and the special teachers and other workers will be found full explanation of many of the features which have characterized the past year.

I am heartily in accord with the following expression of sentiment taken from a New Year editorial in one of the local papers: "Parents hunting something to think about, might use a few minutes reflecting upon the great influence of teachers in the lives of children, and pay a mental tribute to the fine body of men and women who are teaching the children of the nation. Those in our schools rank with the best in the land and they should be appreciated."

There have been only two changes in the corps of teachers during the year, both in the High School. Miss Hart brings all the fruits of long experience, gained entirely in some of the best schools, all of them in places considerably larger. The schools of Springfield, Mass., have long been known as among the best in the country. The local paper referred to above has carried each week articles taken from our high school English work. This opportunity has afforded a motive which has aided in considerable improvement in written composition. Stress is also being placed in oral composition, and Miss Hart can show definitely the improvement numerous pupils have already made this year. The beneficial results of programs of the Latin Club, and the general excellence of

the presentation of a French play before the Parent Teacher Association, are straws pointing to the efficiency of Miss Stearns in the teaching of those languages. As for the commercial work, we can say of Miss Child as in the past, the list of awards to pupils in her subjects shows higher standards reached each year. Incidentally the typewriting equipment has been placed in somewhat better condition than ever before, with one new Remington machine, two oldest Remingtons discarded, and the other seven machines partially or completely overhauled. The equipment in active use now consists of two Remingtons, two Royals, and four Underwoods.

The high school orchestra is outstanding in size and in quality of performance, particularly for a small school. It includes about 25% of the membership of the school, and a very good range of instruments. Mr. Sussman's leadership is entitled to much credit. The orchestra provides the music for most of the school affairs. They gave an excellent concert in December. The town is fortunate in the extent of interest in music among the young people. The grammar school orchestra under Mr. Sussman does good work and affords training for the high school organization.

The high school is greatly in need of a new piano, particularly in view of the amount of the musical activities. The piano had become poor many years ago. The Parent Teacher Association are attempting to raise money for a new one. From the small fund already on hand as compared with the cost of a suitable piano it promises to be some time before the aim is realized, but it would seem at the present rate hard to keep up payments after a purchase is made. If the School Committee would ask the town for sufficient appropriation to buy a piano, at least in large part; I believe it would be granted.

It is a cause for regret that high class entertainments do not prove financially successful. In the fall the high school offered a Lyceum course of entertainments in the effort to raise the funds for support of athletics without recourse to a play of a more popular type. The result was a small deficit, though all artists proved to be splendid people and their programs high class with enough of what should have popularized them. The concert by the orchestra failed to draw a particularly large attendance. Now the plan is to

try a minstrel show under supervision of the music supervisor. It is hoped we may change our conclusion that bridge or a farce are the money making forms of entertainment.

Another means whereby schools may raise funds is perhaps better, at any rate it seems to be employed by many schools, namely securing subscriptions for magazines on a commission basis. However, my feeling has been gaining strength that the people of Pepperell do not maintain schools for the purpose of having pupils canvas for subscriptions for Curtis or Crowell publications, or even for the estimable Farm Journal. The more reputable of these representatives first call on the superintendent, but they seem to be in a minority. It is well that the following should be among the Rules adopted last year by the Committee: "Teachers shall not consent to interviews with agents or anyone with a commercial motive during school hours, nor allow transaction of private business without notice from the Superintendent". The Committee is wise in suggesting that such notice be given sparingly.

One of the remaining needs at the High School mentioned by the Principal, which might have further consideration, is that of better provision for dressing and showers for athletic teams. Inter-school or even intra-school athletics do not fully meet the need for physical training, as they fail to reach the pupils most in need. If the program is followed of a short period each day for boys and girls of physical drill, we will have followed as far as practicable the state recommendations which have in mind full periods of work in a gymnasium. Our building was erected before the days when physical training had received much thought. The exercise is taken on the grounds when the weather permits.

The report of Miss Antonio indicates the expansion that has been taking place in her work. Miss Antonio has herself grown in her five years of experience and we have been able by degrees to add somewhat to equipment to make possible the extending of the activities of her department. Her report mentions the Tercentenary program of the Field Day last June. The idea came from a

demonstration of the program in Somerville last March attended by superintendent, supervisor, nurse, and some teachers. The central aim was to show the health-giving activities of out-door Indian life. We had previously conducted a drive for winning of tags to be awarded on that occasion. For the Physically Fit tag, a child needed certificates that all necessary medical and dental work had been done, and weight and posture had to be satisfactory. This tag was given to 20 at Groton St. and 33 at the Shattuck School. In addition 33 Dental Tags were given at Groton St. and 71 at the Shattuck School. Improvement Tags were given for those who made a serious effort but failed to meet all requirements of the Physically Fit, 15 at Groton St. and 40 at the Shattuck School.

I would place first in importance the influence of the schools on character training, next the contribution to health and physical fitness, followed by development of independent thinking and reasoning, appreciation of music and art, information in the regular school subjects and the other objectives of education. I am more interested in the contribution made by the schools toward sending out more useful and worthy members of the family, society, and state, than in what the schools do for the personal advantage of the individual. The public school system was founded for the betterment of society and state rather than that of the individual, a fact kept in mind better in older countries than in our own.

For a small town dependent on part time service in special subjects, we are fortunate to have as supervisor of drawing and art a graduate of a four year course of training with six years of experience, and whose personality, progressive attitude, carefully prepared and revised plans for teachers and presentation to pupils, is superior to most of those in our experience.

Much the same sentiment should be expressed about the supervision of music. There has been a decided expansion of activities in this subject since Miss Boynton began her work two years ago. Her report explains what has been going on. In some

rooms the improvement of the work of the teachers under the inspiration of the supervisor is particularly noticeable. More might have been said of the attention given to cultivating appreciation of good music. All will be sure to hear music while not all will continue active interest in singing have been given, through victrola records and otherwise, examples of good music. While many homes are now in a position through radio to receive the best in music and the best music is now much more widely heard than before the days of radio, it is still possible to hear in that way much that is inferior.

For some time previous to the coming of Miss Boynton the results in high school music had been only ordinary. It was compulsory and many were indifferent, and support and management were not adequate. We now excuse those who do not appreciate the opportunity offered, and still have a large majority of both the boys and girls. The chorus has the hearty support and personal interest of the principal, and they are doing very creditable work, especially when making special preparation for a public performance.

Not all the activities in music are directly under the care of Miss Boynton. Aside from the two orchestras, there is the use of the radio purchased in the fall by the pupils of the Shattuck School. Mr. Burney wishes to pass on to the public credit for obtaining funds to purchase the radio and complete the payments. For some time now many schools have been receiving the Friday morning Damrosch music appreciation programs, and this season there has been the afternoon half hour daily of the School of the Air, giving in a manner more impressive than the teacher could hope to do, lessons in history, music, literature, or current events, planned alternately for various grades. Care has been taken that the time given to use of radio is limited so as to be entirely beneficial and not to encroach unduly on that needed for other purposes. More has been spent for books of late in order to help realize the desired results, but the results are coming.

The report of the school nurse mentions a number of the in-

teresting features of her work. The district work of the nurse in Pepperell, combined with routine school work, seems rather more of a load than should be expected of one person, nevertheless Miss Conley has found time to take a keen and active interest in progressive activities. The tonsil clinic was continued, children transported to health camp, help given toward having children qualify for tags at the field day, assistance given to the physician in conducting our pre-school physical examination, and arrangements made for diphtheria immunizing in the near future. The personality, interest, and general efficiency of the nurse have brought about a successful year in her department. We have had pre-school examinations, given gratis by the state or conducted by a physician specially engaged for the purpose, or by sending pupils to their family doctor, but the past year it was conducted by the school physician for the first time.

Parents would do well to heed the advice to have their children immunized from diphtheria. There is no charge, the operation is simple and has been perfected to a point where danger is practically removed. It is desired to include any and all children under school age. Few children now remain to the schools, who have had the Schick Test when given in Pepperell. It may be that at another time a similar immunizing will be attempted for scarlet fever, a disease rather more prevalent than diphtheria.

Penmanship continues to be a successful feature at both the elementary schools. As in recent years, all but the few poorest pupils in the lower grades received the proper pin for their grade, a majority in the intermediate grades received their Merit or Progress Pin, and several in grades seven and eight received the Final Certificate. Each year now about six to eight pupils receive the Final Certificate in grade seven, and about the same number from grade eight who had not received it the previous year.

We have the following new sets of books in addition to music in use this year: Standard Service Arithmetic in each third grade in place of the books in use since 1920, and making available the considerable advance in teaching of arithmetic since that date, also

new material in place of the Courtis Tests in arithmetic for daily use in the upper grades. This, the Schorling-Clark-Potter Instructional Tests, includes drill on fractions and higher work as well as the fundamentals. We have found that we need to make daily drill on fundamentals continuous and that the need for this goes on through the high school. Both eighth grades were reduced to a small amount of reading material, and they have been supplied with a comprehensive course in literature in one volume, the Literature and Life of the Elson Series. Upper grade language books had been discarded to an extent so we placed the Sheridan text in the eighth grade in the Shattuck School. The pupils are responding well to this book where the simpler essentials are presented in an attractive way and in a style on the level of their attainments. The Sheridan books had previously been placed in one other room at each building. The sixth grade of the Shattuck School has new geographies of the Atwood series and find them a decided improvement in material of the contents, usefulness of the maps, and general attractiveness. Better results are being gained. Eighth grade pupils are also making some use of these books. The geography department of grades six, seven, and eight of the Shattuck School has a new set of maps and a globe. We also added one room at this school to the number previously equipped with the Turner texts in hygiene. The above represents about the limit possible of new books, with the high school to be considered, also the needs of special teachers, to be met from allotment for books and supplies. On the other hand, with so many grades and studies in each grade, with a smaller amount of annual change the books would get further out of date.

Last spring for the first time the Shattuck School tried a prize speaking contest at the Town Hall, the contest being for the best speaker from each of the seventh and eighth grades, and for the highest total of points for each grade. A similar affair would be an interesting and profitable one to continue.

Does good education pay? Education and business are not antagonistic forces; each supplements and strengthens the other. Good business is not merely an acquisitive and materialistic enter-

prise, nor is good education merely a detached and valueless sort of mental gymnastics. The support of the schools is drawn from the proceeds of business. Without this support the schools could not exist. Leaders in business and industry recognize in the schools a great productive and consuming force which they wish to encourage and support.

The employees of the schools, together with the schools themselves, for buildings and supplies, are important consumers of the products of industry. Education increases the want of the people, raises the standard of living, develops old markets and creates new ones. Education increases productivity, making it possible to supply the things which higher standards of living require. It is an indispensable element in an environment which business must have to thrive. It makes safe and congenial business relations possible.

In number of employees, education is exceeded only by agriculture, construction, railroads, and textiles. In value of invested capital, it ranks sixth in the country, exceeded by agriculture, railroads, oil, electricity, and lumber.

The general diffusion of education is greater in the United States than in any other country. In 1929 there were 20,000,000 telephones connected with the Bell system in this country, 59% of all those in the world. Few household electric refrigerators had been sold previous to 1923; in 1929, 1,850,000. In 1929, 23,122,000 passenger automobiles were registered in the United States, about enough to put the entire population on wheels. In 1930, there were 13,478,000 radio receiving sets in use, one to every other family. The effect of education in increasing wants of consumers is directed chiefly to those which elevate the standards of living. The educated person wants a more beautiful home, a more artistic picture, food of tested quality. Economic machinery alone can not bring all this about.

It is easy to see the factory, the market, the machine, and forget the human mind and hand which made them possible. National resources may have done much to bring about economic

leadership, but competent authorities give credit to the development of human resources. In addition to large taxes they give donations in many cases for educational purposes. As national resources become depleted, human resources will take on added significance. The national income in 1890 was twelve billion, in 1914 it was thirty one billion, and in 1928 eighty nine billion. The national wealth in those years was respectively sixty five, one hundred eighty six, and three hundred fifty three billions. If only one tenth of this increase were to be judged a result of education, the money spent for schools would have been a most profitable investment. However, the schools were probably a major factor. The national increase in school costs from 1922 to 1928 have just about kept pace with the increase of national income from sixty-five to eighty nine billions, and have remained 2.4% of the national income expended for support of schools.

The day of the successful business man who "never went beyond the fourth grade" has passed. The leaders today are not "self-made" alone, but started as well educated men and women.

Setting aside all the cultural advantages of a good education, all the advantages to state and society of a well educated general public, the schools can justify themselves on their contribution to business. Good schools pay their own way. The schools and business are partners.

These observations may be closed with a quotation from Edward A. Filene: "Business men have a selfish reason, which is perfectly legitimate, to want every state to develop the most intelligent citizenship possible. Few investments bring greater returns to business than those made for lifting the general level of education."

I offer the following estimate of receipts from the state during 1931, that may be considered as an offset in part to the town appropriation that will be needed for support of schools.

General School Fund, Part 1,	\$3,700.00
Tuition of state wards,	160.00
On account of superintendent,	1,080.00

Vocational School tuition,	240.00

	\$5,180.00

Pepperell ranks well as a town where the general attitude and support of those seeking to train the next generation is favorable and causes those engaged in the work to enjoy it and find contentment in it. I am as ever appreciative of the harmonious relations with public, committee, and teachers, and of the efforts of all who have sought especially to help.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE B. CLARKE,

Superintendent of Schools.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

To the Superintendent of Schools:

This, my annual report is written with a full measure of enthusiasm and pleasure as I recall our achievements of the past year.

When we entered school last September it was with no small feeling of relief that we noticed some of the most defaced walls had been refinished and presented a clean and neat appearance. All of the desk-tops, seats and tables had been repaired or refinished and it has been noticeable throughout the year that this brought about the desired result, namely of stimulating the students' pride in trying to keep the building as neat as possible. There has also been an improvement in handwriting traceable entirely to the smooth surfaces on which the students now write.

There is now a first-aid room in the school with running water, soap and towels, couch, first-aid cabinet and table which was used by the doctor this year in making his periodic examination of the pupils. This room provided the necessary privacy for this type of work since it can be shut off from the rest of the school and facilitates handling the many students who must be examined, with a minimum disturbance of classes.

The addition of three sinks, soap containers and paper towels and another drinking fountain are all factors which contribute to the general comfort and cleanliness.

It was necessary this year as last to use the building at the rear of the school for a dressing-room for the base-ball and football teams and although this room is easily accessible and makes a good dressing-room in many respects, it still lacks heat and showers to make it ideal.

The room facing the north and directly over the front entrance to the school still presents a heating problem worthy of consideration for on very cold days it is difficult to force heat enough

into this room to make it comfortable.

The efficacy of the repairs made last year to the laboratory for the purpose of keeping out the cold are making themselves more manifest as time goes on. Since we are not using that room this year there is no heat there but the heat which naturally ascends from the lower floors has been enough to keep the different liquids and reagents from freezing and bursting their containers causing loss and damage as in some years previous.

There have been two additions to our faculty this year to take the place of the teachers who left and they together with the remaining teachers make up a most cooperative group of co-workers willing and ready at all times, always giving their best to aid in carrying out the aims and policies of the school.

I wish to thank my teachers for their whole-hearted support during the year.

This year the students are foregoing the pleasure of their monthly socials which seem to have been supplanted by the inauguration of basket-ball. The demands made upon the time of the pupils although great are meeting with their approval and this sport is providing healthy exercise, clean fun, and building up a fine school spirit. This game, like anything else that is worth while demands hard work and practice which our boys and girls do get in after school. Most of our games are scheduled in the evening for this enables all the people of the town to attend if they wish and it also affords a source of revenue from which our expenses can be met.

The Senior Dance of last year held on St. Valentine's night

was most pleasing and was a source of enjoyment to all, increasing the treasury of the class by a large sum which enabled them not only to defray graduation expenses but to take a trip to Provincetown where they had dinner and viewed all the spots of historic and artistic interest.

The school play, "Straight Thru The Door" was presented by the students during the late spring and their acting and recitation of their lines was exceptionally well done. The play was well attended and the receipts from this event have supported base-ball, foot-ball and have gone far toward paying for the basket-ball equipment.

Thanksgiving Eve., was given over to the Junior Prom, which was held in the Town Hall and was every bit as successful and as nice a party as was that of last year, due to the business-like way in which the Juniors took hold from the beginning. Notwithstanding the untiring efforts the students put into this project all due credit must be given to the mothers who helped materially by making and donating refreshments.

Our Latin Club continues to meet fortnightly and presents some very interesting programs. Meetings are held at the homes of the different members and are always well attended. The club continues to grow in size which seems to prove that much of the dread and drudgery has been removed from the study of this beautiful language. This year the club has been addressed on two occasions by non-members who gave very interesting talks on why Latin is studied and the background from which it is derived. The story of Ancient Rome was portrayed for the members in an illustrated lecture also.

Not till this year did the students have a chance to see the results of their efforts in news print. Since the opening of school in September many of the boys and girls from all the classes have been contributing articles for publication in the local paper with much zeal and we are slowly but surely becoming organized in this work

which not only gives the students a chance to voice their thoughts but encourage more and better writing and expression and breeds a spirit of confidence.

Whereas the school in the past has participated in only base-ball and foot-ball, this year we were represented on the track and made a very creditable showing. Basket-ball has now been added to the list of sports in which the students can compete thereby bringing the total to four and increasing student interest and participation over one hundred percent. The addition of this sport has made it possible for the girls to participate in athletic competition with girls of other schools.

The primary objectives and aims of athletics are always in the foreground and the winning of games has been made subsidiary to the developing of healthy minds and bodies, a true sense of sportsmanship and fair play and a desire to remain in active competition which necessitates greater scholastic effort by the students.

Singing during the year has advanced to the point where it now seems advisable to give credit toward graduation for this subject and the progress which has been made in this subject which comes but once a week is very good. Since there is such an expression of the beautiful in music I feel that parents would do well to encourage their sons and daughters to take part in this singing in school that they may have some understanding and appreciation of the finer things of life. Though none of the boys and girls may ever get their livelihoods by this means, there is always a chance to improve and enlarge upon the knowledge we already possess and what could be more fitting for this purpose than a study of music?

The high school orchestra continues to grow in personal, ability and repertoire from week to week and the amount of credit offered for orchestra study has been increased during the year to

be commensurate with the effort put into this phase of our work.

During the year the orchestra gave a most enjoyable concert in Prescott Hall and the receipts from this entertainment are to be used for purchasing new music and keeping the piano tuned.

The daily program of physical training has continued throughout the year with most beneficial results. Coming as it does in the recess periods of both morning and afternoon sessions it gives the students a chance to relax and relieve their muscles of the poisons due to fatigue and also to fill their lungs with fresh air. Thus are they enabled to renew their classroom work with refreshed minds and bodies.

In this present day struggle for existence we become more aware of the truthfulness of the statement made by Darwin some years ago that, "Only the fittest survive". What more could anyone have to be placed in this category than health and education? Many of our girls and boys of high school age are really too young to understand the truth and importance of this and so as parents who have the interests and welfare of our offspring foremost at all times, it is our duty to impress upon them the advisability of continuing in school just as long as they possibly can. What chance has the boy or girl today to take his or her place in the work-a-day world with any degree of success with less than a high school education? They are handicapped from the very beginning. They have nothing to offer a prospective employer except youth, unsophisticated and untried and today the demand is for experience and knowledge. Should we compare the hours spent in school with the earning capacity of students who have left school before they should we would find that in the course of ten years that the few paltry dollars earned could be classed as a liability rather than an asset. Parents, see to it that your children get this education

which is their right. It is one of the very few chances they will ever have to get something gratis and convert it into profit.

If we are to continue to be classed as a high school, worthy of the name and if we are to continue to enjoy the certificate privilege granted us by many of the colleges throughout the country, of entering students without examination we must have the cooperation of the parents whose duty it is to see that their sons and daughters are in school when they should be. It is not fair to the students to let them remain away whenever they so wish or whenever you wish to have them and neither is it fair to the school. We have a standard which we are in duty bound to maintain and this cannot be done when there is so much absence that the progress of the school is retarded. To encourage absence from school is to encourage laziness, a hostile spirit toward learning and a spirit of indifference which in later life is reflected in the welfare of the community.

It is gratifying to learn that more than half of last year's graduating class is continuing in fields of learning beyond the high school with a marked degree of success.

On behalf of the school I thank the following organizations for gifts received during the past year:

Parent Teachers Ass'n. \$25 toward purchase of piano for the high school; Town Club, two loving cups to be used as awards for scholastic ability; Woman's Club, \$25 for athletics.

Following is a list of the students who have been neither absent or tardy since the opening of school in September:

R. Dunbar, L. Follansbee, L. Glow, G. Rice, G. Shattuck, J. Woodbury, E. Archambault, I. Callum, L. Callum, H. Hall, L. Hills, M. Lynch, B. Mahony.

I am most sincerely appreciative of the aid and counsel of the Superintendent of Schools and the School Committee during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT S. ANDREWS,

Principal of the High School.

REPORT OF DRAWING SUPERVISOR

Town of Pepperell

To the Superintendent of Schools:

The problems in the drawing curriculum were planned to include, for the greater part, the following essentials: imagination, directed observation, directed imagination, and creative expression.

In Grades I, II, and III, we had on display serene landscapes in cut-outs and drawing. While giving cut-outs in these grades I have often noticed the utilization of the leftover scraps of paper by some ambitious youngsters in making small reproductions of the subject at hand between my directions. In connection with color work, color trees, subtly introducing the theory of values, and mixtures were made.

In Grades IV, V, and VI, the children's previous training in cut-outs and color schemes were put to use in the special holiday work at Christmas. The bookmarks in Grade IV were attractively useful. The calendars in Grades V and VI were cut out, assembled, pasted and mounted with precision, and proudly hung in many homes as a useful and beautiful article. The stationery holders in Grade VI were bold and striking in design and color.

I am pleased to mention calendars again, this time in connection with Grade VII. The interest displayed in them probably accounts for the charming group of Japanese landscapes, with the ever-beautiful Fujiyama in the background and the Japanese lady in the foreground. The bookplates in Grade VIII were individual and well executed.

The problems enumerated are a few of the very many. Last year I cautiously introduced freebrush work in design in the upper grades, and free crayon work in the intermediate. The results were interesting. This year my program includes free crayon

work in the primary grades; also problems involving the history of transportation.

More now than ever the drawing curriculum tends to establish bonds of relationship between school work and life needs. Also, the power to discriminate intelligently between crudity and beauty can be developed more generally to a certain point than the power to create. We are trying to establish the beginning of appreciation.

Respectfully yours,

MOLLIE MARBEBLATT.

REPORT OF MANUAL TRAINING TEACHER

Mr. George B. Clarke,
Superintendent of Schools,
Pepperell, Mass.

My dear Sir :-

In this, my annual report, I wish to give a short resume of the work done in the manual training classes, which are under my supervision.

Although the classes have been large the work has been very good. The boys are taking a keen interest in their work and are all doing well. Instead of trying to complete many projects, they are making an effort to do more finished and more complete pieces of work.

We are making the following articles : Hall Trees, Ferneries, Drum Top Tables, Tilt Top Tables, Medicine Cabinets, Smoking Stands, End Tables, Bird Feeding Stations, Doll Houses, Book Racks, Taborets, Priscilla Sewing Cabinets and many other smaller articles. These are taken from the plans and sketches, which the boys themselves have worked out to a certain extent.

Besides teaching the boys to use their hands, this work gives them the ability to visualize the completed article before it is begun, and it also trains them in accuracy and exactness.

Respectfully yours,

R. A. NORTON.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

To the Superintendent of Schools:

It is with great pleasure that I make my annual report for the year 1930.

Our annual field day, in the form of an Indian pageant to celebrate the Tercentenary, was rightly called "Health Day", as its preparation required special endeavor for physical fitness among the children. Many received dental tags, certifying that all needed dental work had been done. A larger number than at first expected received the Physical Fitness tag. To earn the latter a child must have a medical and dental certificate, weight within a certain range, and satisfactory posture.

The spirit of team play and voluntary participation in sports has been the noticeable development the past year. A little added equipment and the facilities for basket ball are largely responsible. Perhaps 1930 is our best year in physical training thus far. The greatest need at this time is available indoor space at each grammar school building. The use of the Town Hall for basket ball solves the problem for the present at least in the High School. Last fall permission was obtained for the use of the open field opposite the Groton St. School. In this way the children were able to enjoy soccer and base ball. Volley ball and base ball among the girls at the Shattuck School, and foot ball among the boys, seemed to be the favorite sports. The town field might be used by this school but it is somewhat too far away for the short twenty and thirty minute periods.

An additional day or even half day a week by the Supervisor would give the necessary time for the work she would like to do. This should be given to the High School and the Junior High grades at the Shattuck School. Fortunately fewer problems confront the work in the lower grades.

Any time and money spent for betterment of health and im-

proving health education are well worth while. We must not lose sight of the fact that sports and athletics have a moral value as well as physical, bringing healthy interests into the lives of our growing boys and girls. The great reward is more graceful and buoyant femininity and a vigorous masculinity.

I wish to express my gratitude to school officials and teachers, school physician and nurse whose helpfulness and co-operation have made the year 1930 a pleasant and fruitful one. May it be a stepping stone to bigger and better things in 1931.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURA B. ANTONIO,

Supervisor of Physical Education.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

To the Superintendent of School, Pepperell, Massachusetts :-

Dear Sir :

The following is my report of the music in the schools of Pepperell for the year 1930. This being my third season as Supervisor of Music, I do not think it necessary to repeat in detail the aims and schedules of the school music program.

The progress in all three schools is noticeably marked. Enthusiasm is shown throughout, and it is a pleasure and an inspiration to visit these classes, where all are striving to make their music 100%.

The Tercentenary program of last May embraced many new features and was attended by a large, appreciative audience.

The Toy Orchestra was well worth hearing under the direction of Miss Pond. We are well under way in preparation for the 1931 program, and Miss Pond is to be congratulated upon her clever handling of the children in this work, which is no small task.

Clara M. Shattuck School — The music here has greatly improved. The tone quality is much finer and the part singing shows a greater depth of understanding.

A radio has been installed and the classes are taking notes on the programs given by Mr. Damrosch. This is a great privilege and luxury for these children, and Mr. Burney should receive praise for his perseverance in bringing this about.

Grade III has been supplied with new books of the Music Education Series, nearly completing the set throughout the school.

A new piano is greatly needed. It is impossible to use the present one for any special work.

Groton St. School — Much must be said for the progress made at this school. The part singing is wonderfully improved and all the grades are doing splendid work.

A new victrola is very much needed and would benefit greatly in the music appreciation work. The work here is most inspiring and the May program bids fair to be of the best.

New books have been supplied in Grades III - IV - VII and VIII, completing the required series throughout the school.

High School — The music at the High School is fast reaching the peak of attainment. The demonstration of last May and at Graduation showed convincingly the stride ahead made by the students over the previous year.

A Minstrel Show is in preparation, with many solos and special features, which without question will prove to the public that Pepperell High School cannot be outdone in music.

The greater part of the progress made is due to the co-operation of Mr. Andrews, and my work has been made most enjoyable because of his kindly interest and help.

New Chorus books were supplied last February and proved a stimulus to the work.

One quarter point in Chorus work has been granted, thus increasing the quarter point already given the Orchestra work to one half point, as the Orchestra requires more time and effort on the part of the students. We have hoped for this concession for some time and feel that it is a step forward in bringing music to its deserved recognition.

The long desired piano is still to be obtained. The students have been working hard to raise money for this purpose, but as yet we are waiting. Is there not some person in town who would further this cause, which is a most worthy one?

I am sure that much of the enthusiasm shown in the school is the reaction of Mr. Sussman's efforts. The orchestra is one to

be proud of and deserves special mention. I wish to thank Mr. Sussman for his hearty co-operation in the preparation of the coming Minstrel Show, and I now take the liberty of asking the public for their kind support and patronage of this Show when it is presented.

In closing, I extend my appreciation and thanks to Mr. Clarke, the Superintendent, and to the school board, principals, teachers, and all those connected with the school work.

Respectfully submitted,

EDITH E. BOYNTON,

Music Supervisor.

REPORT OF DOMESTIC SCIENCE TEACHER

Mr. George B. Clarke,
Superintendent of Schools,
Pepperell, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir:

The following report is submitted covering instruction in sewing and cooking in the Pepperell Schools.

As usual the girls in the seventh and eighth grades have made the cooking aprons and holders used in the cooking classes. The girls also started underwear in the seventh grade and the girls in the eighth grade made dresses. With a few exceptions these articles were finished by November 17, when we started cooking. I wish these girls could have a whole year of each subject instead of dividing the work.

The sixth grade girls from the Groton Street School have made holders, towels, bags and now are working on underwear. They do their own cutting and are learning how to use the sewing machine.

The seventh grade in cooking have made cocoa, apple sauce, cereal, creamed carrots, candy and pudding.

The eighth grade girls have made muffins, macaroni and cheese, baking powder biscuit, cake, candy and cottage pudding.

It is my desire to give these girls a good general knowledge of the cooking of everyday foods used in the home.

Respectfully submitted,

January 13, 1931.

LENA M. COBURN.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

To the Superintendent of Schools:

I submit my first annual report of work done in the schools. The usual first aid treatments and class room inspections were made. In the first four grades "Clean Hands Clubs" were formed, special attention thus being given to cleanliness.

Milk has been served at the Shattuck School as in other years. Underweight children have been urged to buy.

In connection with the summer round-up a pre-school clinic was held in May. At this time any child who was to enter school in the fall could be examined, free of charge, by the school physician. Forty children were examined, twenty one were found to have physical defects, of which eighteen were defective tonsils. These were corrected in the summer clinic.

The attendance in the first grade has been better than in previous years. Apparently the correction of physical defects improves the child's capacity and opportunity for learning. I hope more parents will take advantage of a similar clinic the coming year.

During May and June seven different families had scarlet fever. The district health officer came and stated that the epidemic was caused by a healthy carrier.

In June a field day was held and tags were given for dental work, improvement, and physical fitness.

During July, through co-operation of Nashua physicians, the usual tonsil and adenoid clinic was held at St. Joseph's Hospital. Forty children were transported to the hospital, through the courtesy of the District Nursing Association and friends.

Tonsil operations were paid for from receipts of the Seal Sale. I was also very grateful for the spending of a large sum from this

source for dental work. From the Seal Sale receipts three children were sent to the Health Camp at Ashburnham for a month. They returned much improved in health, and showed a gain in weight of from five to nine pounds. All this surely proves that the money obtained by the sale of the seals is used for health improvement.

Since September the usual physical examination by the school physician has been completed. Special attention has been given to candidates for athletic teams.

In the near future the district health officer will come to give the Schick Test and Toxin-Antitoxin for prevention of diphtheria. I would urge all parents to take advantage of this opportunity, especially those who have children under school age, as diphtheria is most often fatal at that age. I realize that Pepperell has been very fortunate in being free from diphtheria, and I hope by use of toxin-antitoxin to keep it so.

Thanking the School Committee, superintendent, principals and teachers for their courtesy and co-operation, I express my gratitude to all with whom I have been associated during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ELLEN CONLEY, R. N.,

School Nurse.

MEMBERSHIP AND ATTENDANCE

Year Ending June, 1930

	Total Memb.	Ave. Memb.	Ave. Att.	% of Att.	Tardi- ness	Dis- missals
High School						
C. M. Shattuck School	108	98.33	91.89	93.44	623	21
Grade VIII, Mr. Burney	26	22.05	21.06	95.5	19	
" VII, Miss Flynn	40	37.35	35.14	94.1	57	11
" VI, Mrs. Wright	51	43.25	40.03	92.5	72	37
" V, Miss Conrad	43	38.58	35.9	93.05	48	10
" IV, Mrs. Bennett	41	39.35	36.57	92.78	34	17
" III, Miss Aldrich	48	40.03	36.87	92.25	208	4
" II, Miss Parker	49	42.52	38.64	90.87	45	6
" I, Miss Pond	45	38.72	35.03	90.48	121	16
Total C. M. Shattuck School	343	301.85	279.24	92.51	604	101
Groton St. School						
Grades VII-VIII, Mr. Doherty	32	28.76	27.28	94.88	26	12
" V-VI, Miss Flaherty	32	30.40	28.73	94.52	15	5
" III-IV, Miss Conroy	39	34.12	32.64	95.65	21	7
" I-II, Miss Gibbons	57	50.64	48.17	95.12	13	2
Total, Groton St. School	160	143.92	136.82	95.07	75	26
Grand Total,	611	544.1	507.95	93.35	1302	148

HONOR ROLL

Year Ending June, 1930

Not absent, tardy, nor dismissed during three years: Emma Nichols.

Not absent, tardy, nor dismissed during two years: John Terszyk, Hazel Piper.

Not absent, tardy nor dismissed during the year:
C. M. Shattuck School: Mildred Gardner, Alfred Hill, Raymond Pelletier, Joseph Terszyk, Thomas Wood. (5)

Groton St. School: Clarence Blood, Esther Borgatti, Mary Boulia, Stanley Degulis, Lawrence Piper, John Anderson, Noah

Denault, William Gardner, Richard Malley, Arlene Gillogly, Joseph Lynch, Marjorie Marshall, Diana Mills, Clinton Parmenter, Cecelia Sullivan, Patricia Sullivan, Elizabeth Pillsbury. (17)

Not absent, tardy, nor dismissed during one half year:

High School: Lillian Callum, Mabel Cotton, Leonard Fol-lansbee, Lewis Glow, Adeline Jensen, Stella Milroy, Catherine Morrissey, Raymond Tumpney, Joseph Woodbury. (9)

C.M. Shattuck School: Isabelle Callum, Maxine Flory, Ruth Gardner, John Wood, Frances Bennett, David Fuller, Glenys Toomey, Margaret Woods, Grafton Fuller, Beatrice Adams, Ida Fitzgerald, Myrtle Garner, Walter Hannah, Frank Skomro, Earl Smith, Clyde Stewart, Helen Sylvester, Stanley Terszyk, Claire Andrews, Francis Greatchus, Robert Davis, Niccoleta Drakoulakos, Harold Glow, Thomas Mahony, Robert Newhall, Fred Shattuck, Phyllis Gray, Yvette Lagasse, Phyllis Parker. (29)

Groton St. School: Catherine Colbert, Valentine Duda, Lorraine Gardner, Madeline Lynch, Mark Sullivan, Raymond Bertrand, Boeloe Grautski, Dorothea Hatfield, Robert Sullivan, William Chase, Margaret Colbert, Mary Gagnon, Eleanor Hames, Rita Lynch, Eugene O'Leary, Robert Starkie, Philip Yakeusik, Inez Borgatti, Ruth Chase, Madeline Colbert, Rachel Duprey, Rita Gagnon, Veronica Grautski, Edward Lewandoski, Josephine Murphy, Paul O'Leary, Walter Sliney, Rita Starkie, Elwood Blood, Robert Call, Richard Danforth, Doris Gagnon, Joseph Grautski, Charles Kroen, Robert Nalette, Edward Pillsbury, Robert Tumpney. (27)

GRADUATES OF PEPPERELL HIGH SCHOOL

June 26, 1930

General Course

J. Milton Attridge

*Stanley F. Seperski

Irene F. Bennett	Raymond G. J. Sliney
H. Stewart Marston	William F. Sliney
Bertha L. Marston	Miriam F. Smith
Anna C. Neumyer	A. Elizabeth Stuart
	Aaron S. Young, Jr.

College Course

Frederick A. Brown	Dorothy A. Winn
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Commercial Course

Eileen A. Doyle	Ruth M. Greeley
Marjorie C. Drumm	Ruth C. Porter
Veronica A. Duda	Vivian L. Stocker

* Winner of Woman's Club Scholarship

GRADUATES OF GRAMMAR SCHOOLS

June 19, 1930

Clara M. Shattuck School

George Attridge	Frederick Beer
Helen Bennett	Mildred Doyle
Isabelle Callum	Charlotte Lane
Everett Carr	Raymond Moody
George Currier	Lindsey Mullan
Roger Dunbar	Yetive Penniman
Maxine Flory	George Shattuck
Ruth Gardner	Robert Shattuck
Karl Greene	Gordon Twitchell
June Kimball	Joseph Wisnosky
	John Wood

Groton St. School

Catherine C. Colbert	Arthur J. Langlois
Valentine A. Duda	Madeline A. Lynch
Lorraine M. Gardner	Beverly D. O'Brien
Doris E. Hackett	Catherine O'Leary
Edward J. Hawley	Hazel F. Piper
Herbert G. Knight	John T. Sullivan
	Mark P. Sullivan

ENUMERATION OF MINORS

(Ages as of October 1, 1930)

	5 to 7		7 to 14		14 to 16		Total
	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls	Total
Number in Town,	56	43	193	191	54	36	573
Number in Private Schools,	1	1			2		.4
Number in Vocational School,						1	1
Number not in any School,	24	22		1	4	3	24
Number in Public Schools,	31	20	193	190	48	32	514

ENROLMENT BY GRADES

January, 1931

High School	I	II	III	IV	V	V1	VII	VIII	1X	X	X1	X11	Total
Boys									16	16	10	3	45
Girls									15	14	10	10	49
Graduate:													1
													95
Shattuck School													
Boys	19	17	20	18	20	13	26	23					156
Girls	13	23	22	16	22	19	14	12					141
													296
Groton St. School													
Boys	15	11	17	9	13	8	13	5					91
Girls	9	9	15	7	7	3	9	6					65
													156

PEPPERELL PUPILS IN
LOWELL VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Carpentry: Austin Nichols.

Homemaking: Isabelle Dapkus.

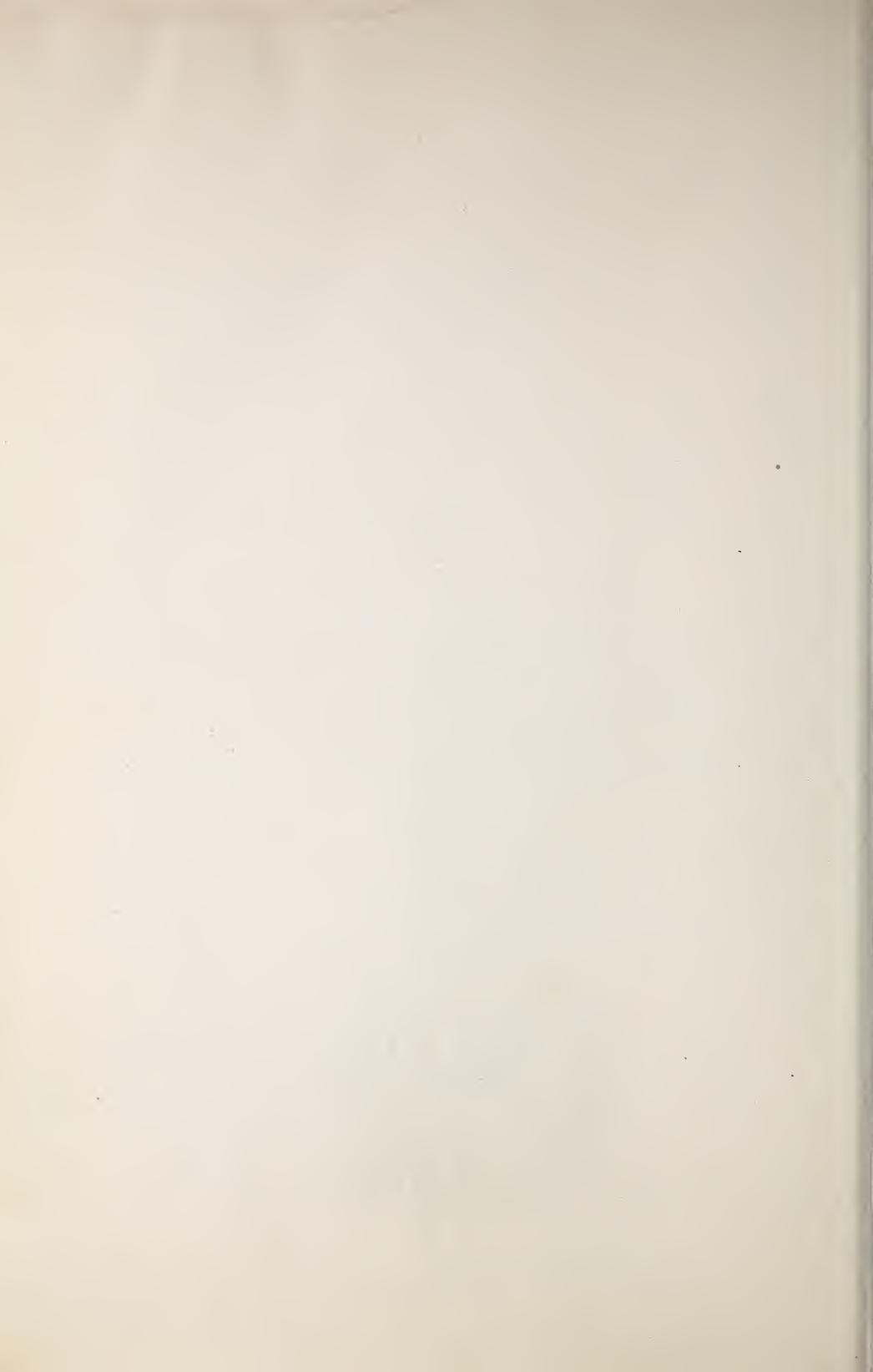
EYE AND EAR TESTS, FALL, 1930

	C. M. Shattuck School	Groton St. School	Total
Number of pupils examined,	302	155	457
Number found defective in sight,	18	12	30
Number found defective in hearing,	1		1
Number of parents or guardians notified,	18	13	31

TEACHERS IN SERVICE — JANUARY, 1931

Name	Position or Subject	Training	Home Address	No. Years Experience	1st Appt. Pepperell
High School					
Robert S. Andrews, Prin.	Science, Math.	*Boston University	Pepperell	3	1929
Merrill A. Farrow, Sub-M.	Math., History,	*Bates	Brooksville, Me.	6	1930
Ruth A. Child	Civics	*Bay Path Institute	Worcester, 132 Paine	8.5	1921
Caroline E. Stearns	Commercial	*Mt. Holyoke	Pepperell	13	1927
Bessie B. Hart	French, Latin	(Tufts and Short Courses)		18	1930
Carlton A. Burney, Prin.	English	Bates	Pepperell	9.6	1926
Florence M. Flynn	VIII-VII-VI	*Fitchburg Normal	Pepperell	13	1918
Mrs. Irene W. Wright	VIII-VII-VI	*Truro, N. S., Normal	Hollis, N. H.	8	1927
Grace V. Conrad	V	*Fitchburg Normal	Hibbards, N. S.	15	1928
Mrs. Jane A. Bennett	IV	*Fitchburg Normal	East Pepperell	7	1929
Hannah L. Aldrich	III	Framingham Normal	Groton	1	1929
Mary E. Parker	II	*Garland Kind. Tr. Sch.	East Pepperell	22	1921
Helen M. Pond	I	Lowell Text., Wellesley	Pepperell	23	1908
Beratrice Boynton	Assistant	*Fitchburg Normal	Pepperell	1	1929
Groton St. School					
Charles E. Doherty, Prin.	V to VIII	*Gorham, Me., Normal	East Pepperell	6	1927
Eileen A. Flaherty	V to VIII	*Fitchburg Normal	Portland, Me.	4	1928
Marion M. Conroy	III-IV	*Worcester Normal	Worcester	2	1928
Helen M. Gibbons	I-II	*Lowell Normal	Pepperell	2	1928
Mary E. Hassett	Assistant in I-IV	Short Courses	Lowell, 23 Hastings	1	1929
Special Teachers and Supervisors					
Irena M. Coburn	Domestic Sci.	*Posse-Nissen Normal	Lowell, 28 Rutland	12	1922
Laura B. Antonio	Phys. Educ.	*Mass. School of Art	Oakdale	2	1925
Mollie Marberblatt	Drawing	N. E. Conservatory	Lynn, 47 Church	4.1	1928
Edith E. Boynton	Music	Boston University	Jamaica Plain, 264 So. Huntington Ave.	.6	1928
Raymond A. Norton	Manual Training	Summer Course	Tuftsboro	1.3	1929

* Graduates



TOWN WARRANT

FOR FEBRUARY 16, 1931

Article 1 To choose a Moderator.

Article 2 To hear and act upon the reports of all Town Officers and Committees.

Article 3 To choose all Town Officers for the ensuing year, not required to be elected by ballot, or act in relation thereto.

Article 4 To determine whether the Town will vote to authorize the Treasurer, with the consent of the Selectmen, to borrow money in anticipation of the revenue of the current fiscal year.

Article 5, To determine what method the Town will adopt for the collection of taxes.

Artiicle 6. To determine whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$800, or some other sum, for District and School Nursing, the same to be expended in part payment of the salary of a Nurse supplied by the Pepperell District Nurse Association, or take any action thereon.

Article 7. To determine what sums of money the Town will vote to raise and appropriate to defray Town charges; for the support of Public Schools, for the Department of Public Welfare, for repairs of highways and Bridges, and for the various other departments.

Article 8. To determine whether the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$4,000.00 for Townsend, River, Dunstable Nashua roads and Brookline, providing the State and County each appropriate a like amount.

Article 9. To determine what sums of money the town will raise and appropriate for general oiling.

Article 10. To determine what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate to carry on the moth work; the amount of gypsy moth liability for 1929, being \$1,484.51.

Article 11 To determine what action the Town will take in regard to raising and appropriating the sum of \$8,500, provided the State agrees to expend the sum of \$6,800, for the repair and improvement of outlying roads, exclusive of State highways, under the provisions of Section 26 through 29, chapter 81 of the General Laws, as amended.

Article 12. To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for the use of the Town Forest Committee, or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 13. To determine what action the Town will take in regard to new highway construction.

Article 14 To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1,500 to build a cement sidewalk on Tarbell Street or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 15. To determine what sum the Town will raise and appropriate for snow removal and purchase of new equipment or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 16 To determine whether the Town will raise \$800 and appropriate the sum for the running expenses of Lawrence Library.

Article 17. To determine whether the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money for new equipment for the fire department or take any action thereon.

Article 18. To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money to change the battery system on the fire alarm or take any action thereon.

Article 19. To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$50 for new equipment for forest fire truck.

Article 20. To determine whether the Town will vote to appropriate the receipts of the Water Department for the use of the department in paying operating cost including bonds and interest.

Article 21 To determine if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for taking care of public dump.

Article 22. To determine if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$20 to install a street light on Mill Street.

Article 23 To determine whether the Town will vote to permit the Lowell Gas Light Co., to lay and maintain pipe lines for the purpose of serving the town with gas.

Article 24 To determine whether the Town will vote to elect a director to serve in cooperation with the Middlesex County Trustees for county aid to agriculture in the work of the Middlesex County Extension Service under the provisions of Section 40-45, Chapter 128, General Laws.

Article 25. To determine whether the Town will vote to accept \$100 from the Estate of Sylvia E. Joy to be added to the Charles Lakin Fund.

Article 26. To determine whether the Town will vote to accept \$50 for the perpetual care of John J. Gillispie Lot in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Article 27. To determine whether the Town will vote to accept the laying out by the Selectmen of a Town way, from Mill Street through Church Place or act in any way regarding same.

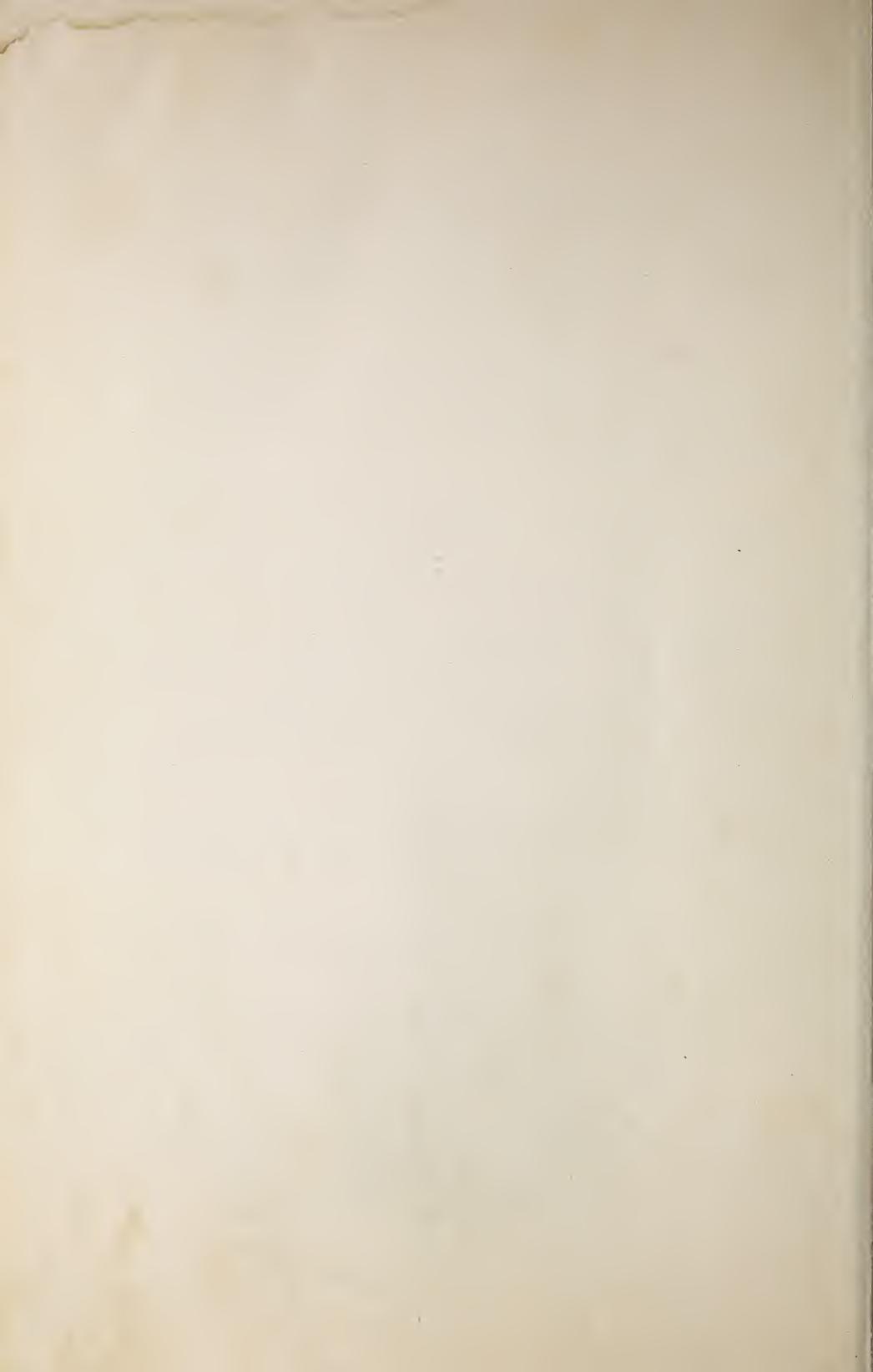
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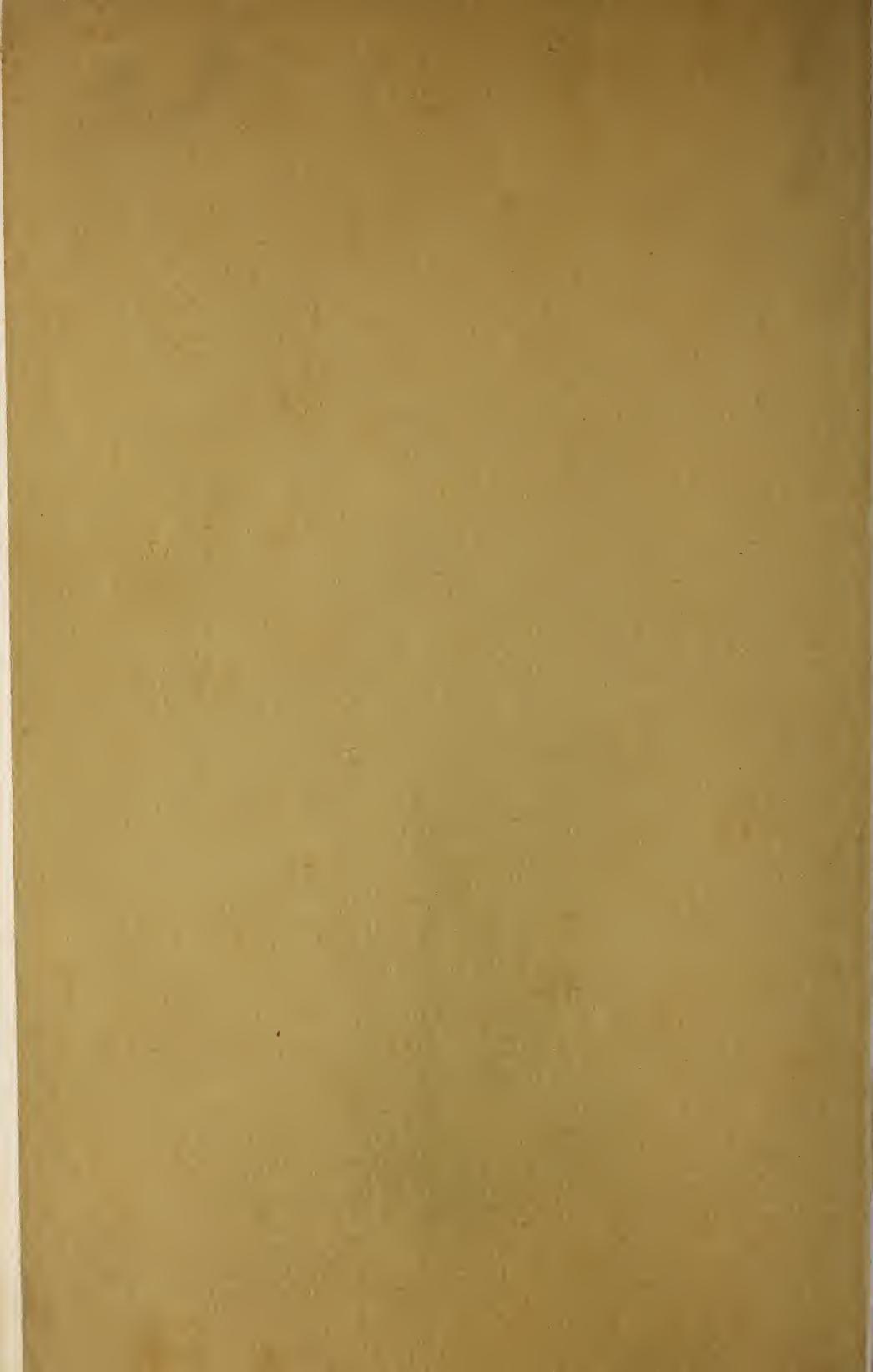
Article 29. To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300 for six open air Band Concerts to be given by the Pepperell Junior Band during July and August, 1931.

Article 30: To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$5,000.00 for Hydrant service or take any action in relation thereto.

Article 31. To determine whether the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$1000 to change the heating system of the Town House from coal to oil burners.

Article 32. To determine whether the Town will vote to fix the expenditure of the Board of Assessors as follows: Salaries \$900. Printing \$150 and Miscellaneous, or take any action in relation thereto.







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